DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY FY2013 HOUSE FINANCE BUDGET SUBCOMMITTEE NARRATIVE REPORT March 1, 2012

SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Rep. Bill Stoltze, Chair

Rep.Pruitt

Rep. Foster

Rep. Cissna

Rep. Feige

Rep. Kawasaki

Rep. Thompson

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Public Safety submits a recommended operating budget for FY2013 to the House Finance Committee as follows:

Unrestricted General Funds (UGF) \$ 163,730.0

Designated General Funds (DGF) \$ 7,322.7

Other Funds \$ 19,948.4

Federal Funds \$ 10,967.5

TOTAL \$ 201,968.6

BUDGET ACTION:

The House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Public Safety held <u>four</u> meetings with the Department and analyzed all of the Governor's budget transactions. The following are budget action <u>highlights</u>:

- The Subcommittee recommends a total increase from the FY13 adjusted base of \$9,722.9 UGF and a decrease of \$553.5 DGF for a total general fund change of \$9,169.4. The change from adjusted base in other funds is a decrease of \$190.1 and a decrease of \$1,074.8 in federal funds, totaling \$1,264.9 in non-GF changes.
- The Subcommittee recommends authorizing 75% funding for the Governor's initiative to add 15 New Village Public Safety Officers.

Denied/ Changed Funding

1. VPSO Oversight- New State Trooper in Juneau, (including one-time costs)

The committee recommends funding at 75%

2. Pilot and operating cost for new interior helicopter

The Committee recommends funding at 75%

Training and support costs for the Governors Initiative to add fifteen new VPSO's

The Committee recommends funding at 75%

4. Maintenance Generalist Journey Position for the New Laboratory (Including onetime costs)

Committee requests that no funding be given

Accepted

- Alaska State Troopers Special Projects- Maintain Alcohol Interdiction Program: \$1,545.0
 - a. \$1,270.0 UGF for rural bootlegging Enforcement Efforts
 - b. \$275.0 UGF to continue support for 5 state troopers and one administrative position within this program.
- 2. Alaska Criminal Records and Identification-Replace Federal JAG Funds for two Criminal Justice Specialists: \$182.6
- 3. AST Narcotics Task Force- Drug and Alcohol Enforcement Efforts: \$1393.2
- CDVSA Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Prevention: \$1.74 million [\$830.5 UGF/ \$910.0 Inter Agency Receipts (Other) through the Governor's Office]

This increment would support a broad assortment of functions which include:

- Bystander Intervention Program Data Collection;
- Planning and Coordination Efforts;
- Victimization Study and Evaluation;
- Universal Public Education Marketing Campaign; and
- Pro-Bono Attorneys.

AMENDMENT ACTION:

The House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Public Safety also analyzed the Governor's budget amendments and approved all of them.

ATTACHED REPORTS:

The House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Public Safety adopts the attached reports:

Subcommittee generated reports

Budget Action Worksheet

Legislative Finance Division Reports (Numbers Only) - House Structure

- 1. Agency Totals FY2013 Operating Budget
- 2. Appropriation/Allocation Summary (All Funds)
- 3. Appropriation/Allocation Summary (GF)
- 4. Transaction Comparison between ADJ Base and H Subcomm
- 5. Transaction Comparison between Gov Amd and H Subcomm
- 6. Wordage Report FY2013 Operating Budget

Representative Stoltze, Chair House Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Public Safety March 1, 2012