

30th Alaska State Legislature Senate Finance Budget Subcommittee Department of Transportation and Public Facilities FY18 Operating Budget

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC FACILITIES FY2018 SENATE FINANCE BUDGET SUBCOMMITTEE NARRATIVE REPORT March 13, 2017

RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Senate Finance Budget Subcommittee for the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities submits a recommended operating budget for FY2018 to the Senate Finance Committee as follows:

Unrestricted General Funds (UGF)	\$137,488.0
Designated General Funds (DGF)	\$131,113.6
Other Funds	\$310,683.7
<u>Federal Funds</u>	\$ 2,045.3
TOTAL	\$581,330.6

Positions

Total Positions	3,433
Temporary	168
Permanent Part Time	350
Permanent Full-Time	2,915

The Unrestricted General Fund (UGF) difference between the Governors amended FY18 budget and the Senate Subcommittee recommendation is a decrease of \$8,203.4 or 5.6%. For a total Department Budget of \$581,330.6 or a 7% reduction.

The Senate Finance Subcommittee held several meetings with the Department and analyzed the Governor's and House budget transactions.

The Senate Finance Sub-Committee accepted the Governor's amendments reinstating the design and engineering positions and funding, but denied the supplemental amendments that decremented the positions again (identical to the House Finance Committee). In addition the following actions were adopted by the Sub-Committee:

- Reduced \$500.0 from State Equipment Fleet;
- Reduced \$811.7 from Central Region Highways and Aviation;
- Reduced \$1,318.3 from Northern Region Highways and Aviation;
- Reduced \$94.6 from Southcoast Region Highways and Aviation;
- Reduced \$2,000.0 from Alaska Marine Highway Vessel Operations; and
- Replaced \$4,000.0 UGF Fund Source change as an OTI in Marine Highways.

Details are provided in the attached Legislative Finance Reports.

Attached Reports

The Senate Finance Subcommittee for the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities also adopts the following Reports:

- 1. Allocation Summary (All Funds)
- 2. Transaction Detail

Senator Click Bishop, Chair

Senate Finance Budget Subcommíttee for the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities

March 14, 2017