

Project Authorization



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Project Title RurAL CAP Energy Efficiency Project

Performance Period July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2013

Commission Amount \$297,239.00

Match Source(s) RurAL CAP

Match Amount \$382,352.00

Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Grant/Award, this Authorization:

Through Denali Commission funding, RurAL CAP will facilitate the training, credentialing and employment of 115 rural Alaskans in energy efficiency jobs. The goal of this project is create 115 new temporary jobs (6-12 weeks) in the northwest region that will improve the energy efficiency of residential and public facilities, including Denali Commission investments (see list below). Although this is temporary employment, participants will earn certifications that will allow them to compete for good jobs, such as facilities maintenance specialists in the future. RurAL CAP will coordinate the training and employment through partnerships to include Alaska Works Partnership, NANA, Northwest Inupiat Housing Authority, and Northwest Arctic Borough.

Participants will earn Weatherization Tech I (Wx Tech I) and OSHA 10 certifications and will have the skills to conduct building energy use assessments and develop energy saving plans, effectively teach energy efficiency behavior changes to building users, and install energy wise products and services.

The following Denali Commission Projects will be supported:

- Ambler - Washeteria, teacher housing and clinic
- Buckland - Washeteria, clinic, teacher housing and power plan facility
- Kivalina - Clinic
- Kobuk - Bulk fuel facility and clinic
- Kiana - Teacher housing, power plant and clinic
- Shungnak - Clinic
- Noorvik - Power plant, teach housing and clinic
- Noatak - Clinic
- Deering - Clinic
- Kotzebue - Maniilaq Family Crisis Center
- Selawik -Clinic

In-Progress
Planned Start Date: July 1, 2011
Planned End Date: June 30, 2012

Close-Out
Planned Start Date: July 1, 2013
Planned End Date: September 30, 2013