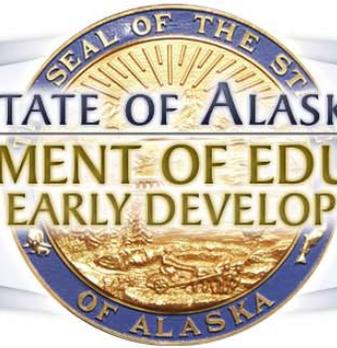


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## Press Release

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### FY 2009 Grant-in-Aid Awards

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The Alaska State Museum has announced the awarding of 30 grants totaling \$105,600 to Alaska museums. The annual Grant-in-Aid awards are funded by an appropriation from the Alaska State Legislature. Overall, 36 applicants requested more than \$150,000. The requests were to fund improvements in collection storage, upgrades to computer and media equipment, emergency response planning.

The following were awarded a grant:

Applicant	City	Project	Amount
Nenana Cultural Center	Nenana	Computer and software	\$ 1,880
Palmer Hist. Society	Palmer	Computer and software	1,974
Valdez Museum	Valdez	Computer equipment	2,000
Wrangell Museum	Wrangell	Expenses for lecture series	1,600
Copper Valley Hist. Center	Copper Center	Furniture upgrades	1,874
Clausen Museum	Petersburg	Storage room upgrade	2,919
Juneau City Museum	Juneau	Storage room upgrade`	8,893
Soldotna Historical Society	Soldotna	Computer and software	1,999
Alpine Historical Park	Sutton	Computer, printer, projector	1,997
Pioneer Park Museum	Fairbanks	Digitize historical photos	2,000
Alutiiq Museum	Kodiak	Reformatting oral history	7,429
Alaska Zoo	Anchorage	Tables and chairs	7,715
Museum of the Aleutians	Ualaska	Exhibit case refurbishment	9,520
Tochak Historical Society	McGrath	Software and archival supplies	1,997
Bald Eagle Foundation	Haines	Rack card and brochure dev.	2,000
Hope Sunrise Hist. Society	Hope	Stove pipe for museum	734
Eagle Historical Society	Eagle	Catalog conversion/supplies	1,862
Baranov Museum	Kodiak	Emergency response plan	2,000
Sam Fox Museum	Dillingham	Exhibit display monitor	1,933
Kasilof Historical Asso.	Kasilof	Digital Projector and screen	1,969
Hammer Museum	Haines	Collection archival supplies	1,705

Sheldon Museum	Palmer	photocopier	2,000
Palmer Museum	Palmer	Computer monitors/training	2,000
K'beq Interpretive site	Kenai	Interpretive panels	2,000
Seward RBHS	Seward	Museum vacuum	1,742
Museum of Nat. History	Anchorage	Collections upgrades	8,838
Kenai Visitors Cult Center	Kenai	Interpretive signage	1,926
Aviation Heritage	Anchorage	Exhibit mannequins	10,000
Talkeetna Museum	Talkeetna	Computer	2,000
Museums AK	Homer	Statewide conference	\$ 9,104

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