

Project Authorization



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| Date | December 27, 2010 |
| Project Number | 1252-B |
| Project Title | First Alaskans Institute - Summer Internship 2011 |
| Performance Period | January 1, 2011 thru December 31, 2011 |
| Commission Amount | \$126,000.00 |
| Match Source(s) | First Alaskans Institute, Alyeska Pipeline, regional native corporations, employers |
| Match Amount | \$134,490.00 |

Program Manager Karen Johnson *[Signature]*

Federal Co-Chair Joel Neimeyer *[Signature]*

Certifying Official Jennifer Price *[Signature]*

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

Authorizes funds from award 1252, FY2009 USDOL funds to be spent on the following project:

First Alaskans Institute (FAI) has facilitated the Summer Internship Program since 2004. This project has one hundred and fifty-one alumni, all completers of the program and who have benefited from work experience, skill development, professional networking and development, and on-going employment. The purpose of this Leadership Internship is to continually foster future leaders of Alaska by engaging, challenging, and exposing them to professional work experiences that will enhance their ability and confidence to manage and lead in the future.

Outcomes: FAI will recruit and enroll 23-25 rural Alaskan residents who are currently enrolled in college at the junior/senior level for the 10-week, 2010 Leadership Institute. Starting in June and ending in August, all participants will be placed in high level work experiences and will participate in bi-weekly learning sessions. Each participating employer is committed to providing a high level management work experience as well as exposure to leadership and policy development.

Leverage: Although this project was initially seeded through the support of the Denali Commission, FAI continues to build a strong foundation to sustain the Leadership Institute for years to come. The annual cost in 2011 to manage and facilitate this project for 25 interns is \$260,490. Leveraged funds will be provided from First Alaskans and other outside funding sources totaling \$134,490 and \$126,000 of Denali Commission funds.

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PLANNED START DATE: January 1, 2011

PLANNED END DATE: September 30, 2011

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PLANNED START DATE: October 1, 2011

PLANNED END DATE: December 31, 2011