

Senate Finance Committee

Marc Luiken, Commissioner Amanda Holland, Acting Deputy Commissioner

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Keep Alaska Moving through service and infrastructure

Our DOT&PF People: Alaskans Serving Alaska

Meet some of the transportation professionals who Keep Alaska Moving

Matt Tanaka

Engineer/Architect III, Statewide Public Facilities

- Lifetime Alaskan, grew up in Anchorage, raised family there.
- 32 years engineering experience, 21 years with DOT&PF.
- Professional engineer, two bachelor degrees, and MS in civil engineering from Dartmouth.
- Specialized in the delivery of large and complex public facilities projects.
- Enjoys the Alaskan outdoors as a skier, cyclist, fly fisher.
- Contributes to DOT&PF's mission by building & maintaining Alaska's infrastructure with consistent success at meeting customer needs while finishing on time and under budget. He advances One DOT&PF through enthusiastic support and with his expertise.



Lauren Staft

Project Manager, Statewide Public Facilities

- While hiking the Appalachian Trail, decided to pursue a career in the great outdoors and moved to Alaska in 2000.
- Geological Engineering degree from University of Alaska, Fairbanks.
- Has two young daughters and enjoys hiking and camping.
- 10 years of service across the state working with DOT&PF Design & Construction and Statewide Public Facilities.
- Responsible for managing construction, renovation, and repair of facilities in the Northern Region and is committed to thoughtful project development to ensure facilities meet the needs of the people who use them.
- In 2016, was named one of Construction's "Deserving Dozen" for dedication, leadership, and service.



Transportation & Public Facilities

Keep Alaska Moving through service and infrastructure

The Department of Transportation & Public Facilities is responsible for providing these core services:

- Preserve Alaska's Transportation Infrastructure
- Operate Alaska's Transportation Infrastructure
- Modernize Alaska's Transportation Infrastructure
- **Provide** Transportation Services

Sources:

Department Home: dot.alaska.gov

Strategic Plan: dot.alaska.gov/comm/strategic_plan.shtml

Constitutional Authority: dot.alaska.gov/comm/legislative/docs/Fact-Sheet.pdf

FY2019 Proposed Budget: www.omb.alaska.gov/html/budget-report/fy2019-budget/proposed.html

Department of Transportation & Public Facilities Share of Total Agency Operations

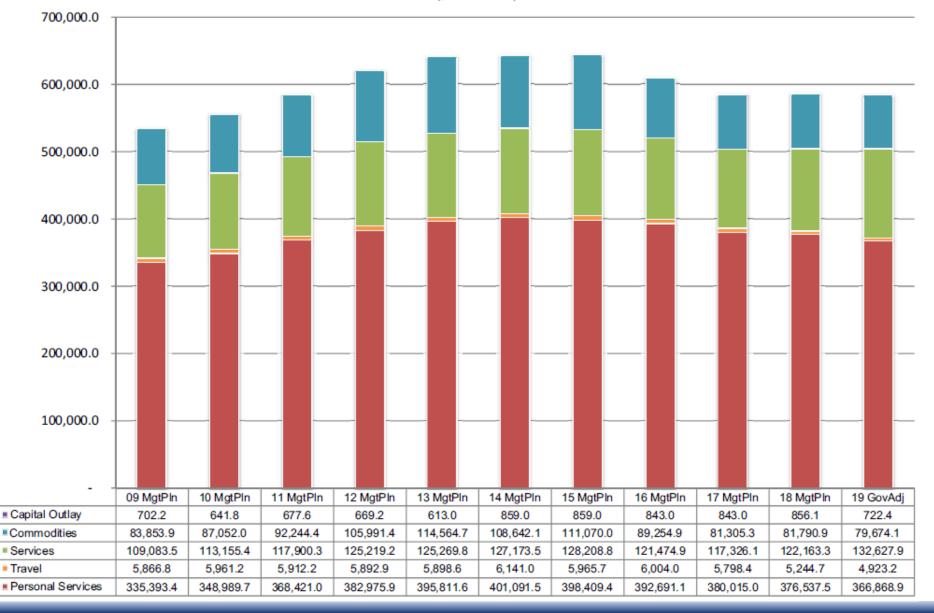
(GF Only) (\$ Thousands)



Note: An amount for the fuel trigger appropriation has been added to the management plan of each year as necessary for an accurate comparison.

Department of Transportation & Public Facilities Line Items

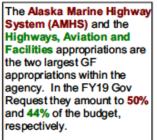
(All Funds) (\$ Thousands)



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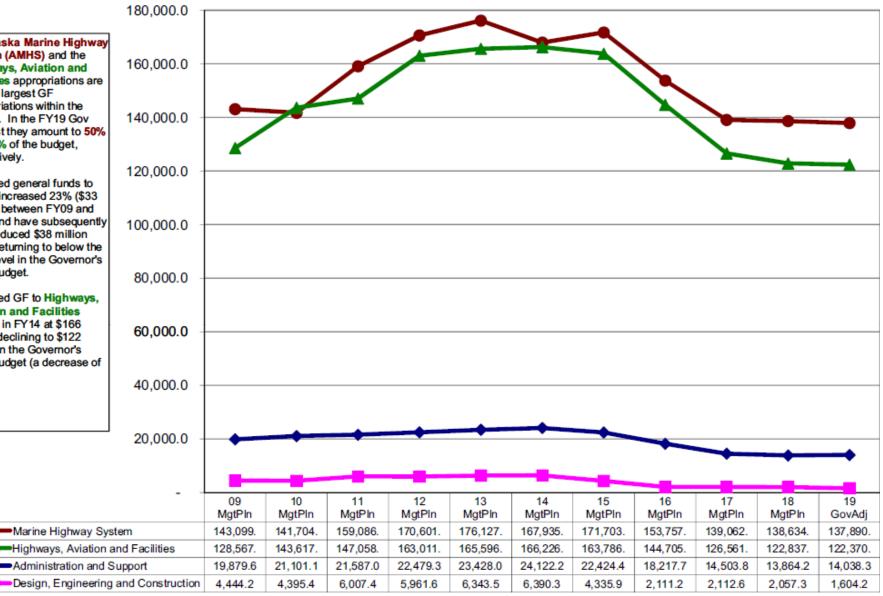
Department of Transportation & Public Facilities **Appropriations**

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Budgeted general funds to AMHS increased 23% (\$33 million) between FY09 and FY13 and have subsequently been reduced \$38 million (22%) returning to below the FY09 level in the Governor's FY19 budget.

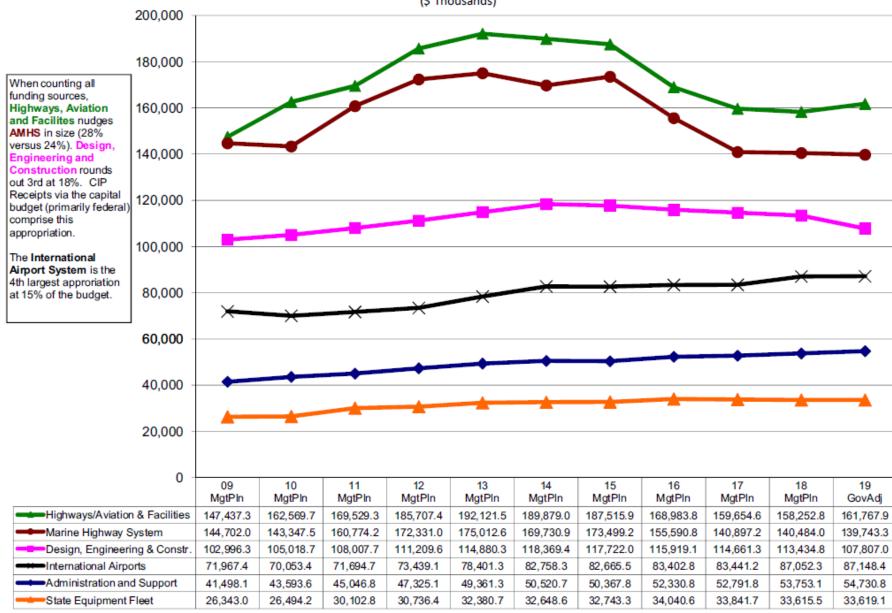
Budgeted GF to Highways, **Aviation and Facilities** peaked in FY14 at \$166 million declining to \$122 million in the Governor's FY19 budget (a decrease of 26%).



Department of Transportation & Public Facilities

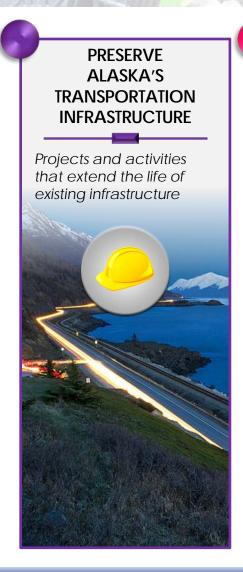
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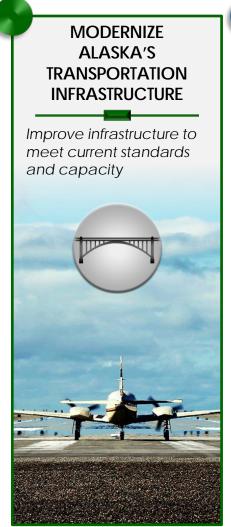


Transportation & Public Facilities

Results Based Alignment: Core Services



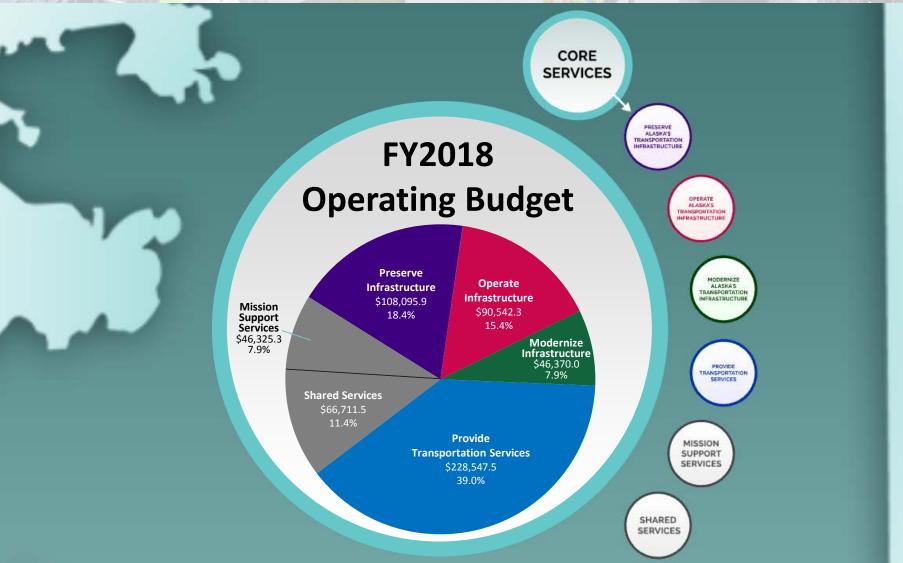






Budget Breakout by Core Service \$586,592.5

(FY2018 Management Plan - \$ shown in thousands)



OPERATE

Snow & Ice Management

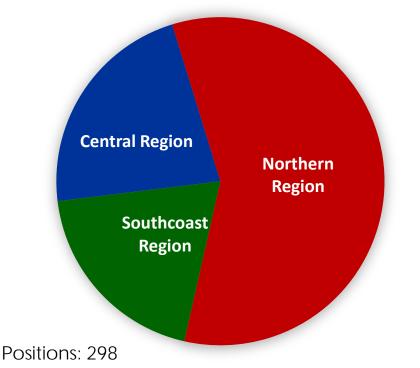
\$61,088.0

52.7% UGF

32.7% DGF

13.6% Other

1.0% Fed



Department-wide performance data

Percent of times target condition was achieved within time goal:



108 Mile, Steese Highway. Photo by Dennis Cooper, Alaska DOT&PF

Accomplishments



Providing Innovation across the nation

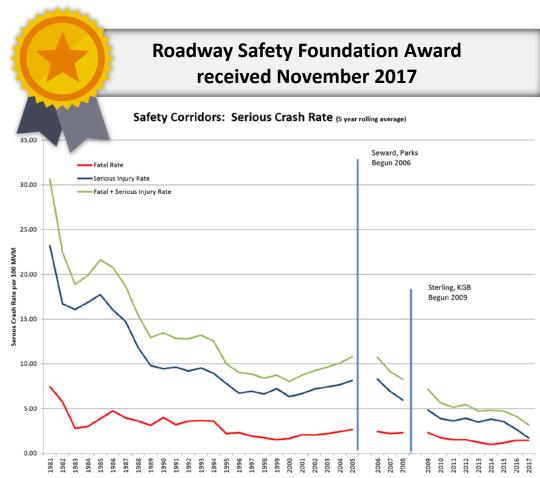


Minnesota Department of Transportation

Ice breakers are one of MnDOT's newest advancements in winter maintenance.

The idea for the design came from the Alaska Department of Transportation & Public Facilities—folks who know a thing or two about ice. Carbide-tipped rollers slice through compacted snow and create holes. The broken up ice is then scraped away by an underbody blade. MnDOT currently has 11 ice breakers that are shared across the state as needed.



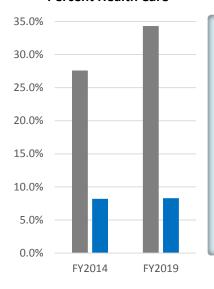


Safety & Health

Safety

- Safety moments at the start of each meeting
- Raised awareness in work zones
- Decrease Workers' Compensation claims

Agency Operating Budget Percent Health Care



DOT&PF **Budgeted Health Care** Costs

FY2014: \$51,941.0

FY2019:

\$48,391.3

- Statewide*
- Transportation & Public Facilities
- * Includes executive branch agencies, does not include Judiciary, Legislature, or University.

Health

- Monthly health newsletter posted in various facilities
- Regularly host Aetna/Wellness program functions at facilities
- Walks during breaks and lunch
- Commissioner's Corner

Environment

- Goal: achieve independent state of DuPont **Bradley Curve**
- Increase employee awareness of health and safety



Internal Resources for DOT&PF Staff



Videos Success Events

Strategic Plan

Legislative Briefings

Alaskans Keeping Alaska Moving

Photos

Email Commissioner

Commissioner's Corner

December 12, 2017 **Employee Engagement Survey**

Dear DOT&PF Team,

Thanks to all of you who completed the Employee Engagement Survey. Your input is so valuable and the survey results will be used to identify specific actions to improve strategic goals. (+ read more)

- November 27, 2017 Thompson Pass Tech Talk (+ read more)
- November 6, 2017 Results Based Alignment (+ read more)
- October 17, 2017 Great Alaska Shakeout (+ read more)



Vitamin D is important for strong bones and may contribute to overall good health. Alaskans should select foods that are high in vitamin D such as Alaska salmon, and should talk with their health care provider about vitamin D and the risks and benefits of supplementation.

Slideshow (click image to view more photos)



Commissioner Luiken at the Tanana ribbon cutting

Challenges

Transition facilities management and maintenance from participating departments to the Division of Facilities
Services.

Keeping existing road and airport systems in serviceable condition, enabling safe, efficient travel, despite budget reductions, aging infrastructure and the impacts of weather.

Provide uninterrupted ferry service and meet as many customers' needs as possible.



Matanuska coming into Skagway.
Photo by Lara Labesky, Alaska DOT&PF

Lifting steel for a new state crime laboratory, under delivery by Statewide Public Facilities (2011).
Photo by Matt Tanaka, Alaska DOT&PF

Filling potholes in the snow.
Photo by Noah Hill, Alaska DOT&PF

FY2019 Governor's Proposed Operating Budget: \$584,816.5

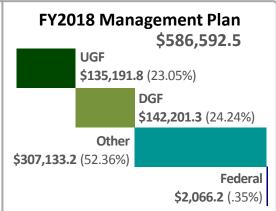
FY2019 Governor's Proposed

UGF
\$177,931.5 (30.43%)

DGF
\$97,972.1 (16.75%)

Other
\$306,846.7 (52.47%)

Federal
\$2,066.2 (.35%)



UGF

General Fund Receipts \$177,931.5

DGF

Marine Highway System Fund \$51,470.9

Motor Fuel Tax Receipts \$36,200.1

Vehicle Rental Tax Receipts \$5,497.3

Receipts \$4,803.8

General Fund/Program

Other

Capital Improvement Project Receipts \$161,668.8

International Airport Revenue Fund \$90,272.6

Highway/Equipment Working Capital Fund \$34,583.3 **Rural Airport Receipts**

\$8,481.9

Aviation Fuel Tax Revenue \$4,622.1

Inter-agency Receipts \$3,955.4

Whittier Tunnel Toll Receipts \$1,929.4

Statutory Designated Program Receipts \$535.1

Uniform Commercial Registration Receipts\$513.5

Rural Airport Inter-agency Receipts

\$256.1

In-state Pipeline Fund Inter-agency Receipts \$28.5

Federal

Federal Receipts \$2,066.2

*Numbers are displayed in thousands.

FY2019 Governor's Proposed Operating Budget Changes

| Increases | International Airport System increase for two 24/7 building maintenance positions, law enforcement training funding and safety operational cost increases (Intl Airport Revenue Fund Receipts) | \$457.0 |
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| Decreases | Supply resource reduction and accounting resource reallocation (UGF) Eliminate Harbor Program Development allocation (UGF) | (\$90.5) (\$320.1) |
| | Eliminate state funded minor structure inspections (UGF) Reduce overtime-winter and summer (UGF) | (\$35.0) (\$175.0) |
| | Delete unrealizable receipt authority-AK LNG (\$1.3); In-state Pipeline Funding (\$672.9); Inter-agency receipts (\$155.7) | (\$829.9) |
| | Total | (\$1,450.5) |
| AMHS Service Changes | Service level increase of 8.2 weeks from 337.7 to 345.9 (UGF \$4,364.5; DGF (\$1,236.4)) | \$3,128.1 |
| Salary Adjustments | Salary and health insurance increases (UGF \$32.4; DGF \$59.4; Other \$396.6) | \$488.4 |
| One-Time Items | Reverse one-time funding from the Alaska Marine Highway System Fund | (\$4,000.0) |
| | Reverse Anchorage International Airport feasibility study funding for maintenance repair & overhaul facility | (\$400.0) |
| Fund Source Swaps | Replace Marine Highway System Funds with Unrestricted General Funds to maintain marine highway system service | \$40,000.0 |
| | Replace Unrestricted General Funds with Marine Highway System Funds due to elimination of winter driver discount program | \$300.0 |
| | Replace Capital Improvement Project Receipts with Rural Airport Receipts to fund required Federal Aviation Administration planning costs | \$1,030.0 |
| | Replace Unrestricted General Funds with Motor Fuel Tax Receipts based on anticipated collections Replace Unrestricted General Funds with Capital Improvement Project Receipts to maintain environmental positions | \$647.8 \$88.0 |
| | Total | \$42,065.8 |
| Organizational Changes | Establishment of the Division of Facilities Services (shared services initiative) | |
| Agency Transfers | Transfer PCNs from Department of Administration and Education for Facilities Shared Services Initiative (25 PFT; 3 PPT) | |
| | Transfer Information Technology (IT) Commodity staff to the Department of Administration/Division of IT for program alignment (10 PFT) | |
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| Position Count Changes | Delete Digital Mapping Project Manager (1 PFT) | |
| | Delete Harbor Program Support (1 PFT) | |
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PFT=Permanent Full-time; PPT=Permanent Part-time; NP=Non-permanent

Numbers displayed in thousands

Thank You

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Transportation is an economic driver

- Preserve, operate, and modernize existing infrastructure
- Provide transportation services
- Federally funded capital improvement projects

Impacts daily quality of life

- Safety
- Mobility
- Connectivity

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Blueberry Lake fly over, 2017 construction season. Photo by Brandy Milles, Alaska DOT&PF