

FY 2017 Community Revenue Sharing Program

APPLICATION FORMS

Filing Deadline: June 1, 2016



State of Alaska
Bill Walker, Governor

Department of Commerce, Community,
and Economic Development
Chris Hladick, Commissioner

Division of Community and Regional Affairs
Katherine Eldemar, Director

FY 2017
COMMUNITY REVENUE SHARING PROGRAM
APPLICATION COVER SHEET

Name of Municipality

Date

Mailing Address

Phone

City, State, Zip Code

Fax

Printed Full Name of Designated Contact for CRS Program

Contact E-Mail Address

"Minimum Qualifications"

Yes	No	Not Applicable
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a. Did your municipality successfully conduct its most recently scheduled local regular election?

b. Are regular meetings of the governing body held in accordance with local code and a record of the proceedings maintained?

c. Have your municipality's ordinances been codified?

d. If the municipality levies and collects property taxes, has the municipality provided the Taxpayer Notice required by AS 29.45.020?

e. If the borough levies and collects only a sales and use tax, has the borough provided the Taxpayer Notice required by AS 29.45.660?

"Certification and Assurances"

The applicant certifies that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information contained in this application is true and correct and the applicant agrees to comply with the laws and regulations which are used to administer Community Revenue Sharing Program funds.

 Mayor, Manager or Administrator
 Printed Name, Title

 Mayor, Manager or Administrator
 Signature

FY 2017 COMMUNITY REVENUE SHARING

PROPOSED CRS BUDGET FORM

Name of Municipality

Please describe below how your municipality proposes to use its estimated FY 2017 Community Revenue Sharing payment.

FUEL	\$ _____
ELECTRICITY	\$ _____
INSURANCE	\$ _____
EDUCATION	\$ _____
WATER/SEWER	\$ _____
PUBLIC SAFETY	\$ _____
FIRE	\$ _____
ROAD MAINTENANCE	\$ _____
HARBORS	\$ _____
HEALTH	\$ _____
LOCAL TAX RELIEF	\$ _____
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	\$ _____
OTHER _____	\$ _____
OTHER _____	\$ _____
OTHER _____	\$ _____
ESTIMATED PAYMENT	\$

RESOLUTION # _____
APPROVING UNINCORPORATED COMMUNITIES
FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE
FY 17 COMMUNITY REVENUE SHARING PROGRAM

A RESOLUTION APPROVING CERTAIN UNINCORPORATED COMMUNITIES AND THEIR RESPECTIVE NATIVE VILLAGE COUNCIL AND/OR INCORPORATED NONPROFIT ENTITY FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE FY17 COMMUNITY REVENUE SHARING PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, AS 29.60.865 and 3 AAC 180.070 require the assembly of a borough or unified municipality to adopt a resolution identifying those unincorporated communities located within their municipal boundaries that the assembly determines meet the Community Revenue Sharing Program eligibility criteria established under AS 29.60.865, AS 29.60.879, and 3 AAC 180.110; and

WHEREAS, the unincorporated community has either a Native village council or incorporated nonprofit entity that will agree to receive and spend the Community Revenue Sharing payment for the public benefit of the unincorporated community; and

WHEREAS, the unincorporated community has 25 or more residents residing as a social unit; and

WHEREAS, at least three of the following services; fire protection, emergency medical, water and sewer, solid waste management, public road or ice road maintenance, public health, and search and rescue; are generally available to all residents of the unincorporated community and each of the three services, in any combination, are provided by one or more qualifying Native village council or incorporated nonprofit entity or are substantially paid for by the residents of the unincorporated community through taxes, charges, or assessments levied or authorized by the borough or unified municipality;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT: The Assembly by this resolution hereby certifies that the following unincorporated communities and their respective Native village council or incorporated nonprofit entity are eligible for funding under the FY17 Community Revenue Sharing Program:

Unincorporated Community	Native village council or nonprofit entity
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

PASSED AND APPROVED by a duly constituted quorum of the Assembly of the _____
_____ this _____ day of _____, 20_____

SIGNED: _____
(Mayor)

ATTEST: _____
(Clerk)

Eligibility Requirements for Unincorporated Communities Located Within Boroughs and Unified Municipalities

Alaska Statutes AS 29.60.865 – .879, and

Alaska Administrative Code 3 AAC 180.070

Sec. 29.60.865. Eligibility requirements for reserves and communities.

(a) The department, with advice from the Department of Law, shall determine whether there is in each community or reserve an incorporated nonprofit entity or a Native village council that will agree to receive and spend the community revenue sharing payment. If there is more than one qualified entity in a reserve or community in the unorganized borough, the department shall pay the money to the entity that the department finds most qualified to receive and spend the money on behalf of the reserve or community. The department may not make a community revenue sharing payment to a Native village council unless the council waives immunity from suit for claims arising out of activities of the council related to the payment. A waiver of immunity from suit under this section must be on a form provided by the Department of Law. If there is no qualified incorporated nonprofit entity or Native village council in a reserve or community that is willing to receive the community revenue sharing payment and use the payment on behalf of that reserve or community, the payment for that reserve or community may not be paid. Neither this section nor any action taken under it enlarges or diminishes the governmental authority or jurisdiction of a Native village council.

(b) The department may make a community revenue sharing payment on behalf of a community in a borough or unified municipality only to the municipality for payment by the municipality to an incorporated nonprofit entity or Native village council that has been approved by the assembly and meets the requirements of (a) of this section. The department shall have written evidence of the assembly approval. If there is more than one qualified entity in a community in a borough or unified municipality, one of the entities may receive the entire payment, or the payment may be shared between two or more of the qualified entities, as determined by the assembly.

(c) A community in a borough or unified municipality is eligible for a community revenue sharing payment only if at least three of the following services are generally available to all residents of the community and each of the three services, in any combination, are provided by one or more qualifying incorporated nonprofit entities or a Native village council or are substantially paid for by the residents of the community through taxes, charges, or assessments levied or authorized by the borough or unified municipality:

- (1) fire protection;
- (2) emergency medical;
- (3) water and sewer;
- (4) solid waste management;
- (5) public road or ice road maintenance;

(6) public health;

(7) search and rescue.

Sec. 29.60.879. Definitions.

(1) "community" means a place in the unorganized borough, in a borough, or in a unified municipality that is not incorporated as a municipality, that is not a reserve, and in which 25 or more individuals reside as a social unit;

3 AAC 180.070. Standards for payment on behalf of communities located within boroughs and unified municipalities

A borough or unified municipality shall submit to the division a resolution adopted by the assembly that clearly identifies

(1) the communities it has determined meet the eligibility criteria under AS 29.60.865, 29.60.879, and 3 AAC 180.110; and

(2) the Native village council or incorporated nonprofit entity located within each community listed under (1) of this section that it has approved as the recipient of the community revenue sharing payment.