

Certification Under Section 1511 of the
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

Pursuant to Title XV, Subtitle A, section 1511 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Pub. L. 111-5, Feb. 17, 2009) (ARRA), I, John Duffy hereby certify that the infrastructure investments funded with amounts appropriated by ARRA to the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, have received the full review and vetting required by law and that I accept responsibility that such investment is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. I further certify that the specific information required by section 1511 concerning this investment (a description of the investment, the estimated total cost, and the amount of ARRA funds to be used) is as follows:

Project: Fish Passage Restoration on Little Su Tributary
Description: replace damaged stream culvert to restore access to salmon habitat
Estimated Total Cost: \$140,000
Amount of ARRA funds: \$120,000

Project: NFPP/NFHAP – Mat-Su Fish Passage Restoration on Wasilla Creek at Grantham Drive (Barrier # CC047)
Description: replace damaged stream culvert to restore fish access to 30 miles of habitat
Estimated Total Cost: \$350,000
Amount of ARRA funds: \$256,000

Project: NFPP - Fish Passage Restoration on Cottonwood Creek at Engstrom Road, Mat-Su Valley
Description: replace damaged culvert to restore access to 1.5 miles and 50 acres of salmon spawning and rearing habitats
Estimated Total Cost: \$150,000
Amount of ARRA funds: \$100,000

These projects are part of a prioritized Matanuska-Susitna Borough Stream Crossing program in conjunction & partnership with the US Fish & Wildlife Service & the Mat-Su Salmon Partnership.

I understand that the Matanuska-Susitna Borough may not receive ARRA infrastructure investment funding unless this certification is made and posted.



John Duffy, Borough Manager

June 18, 2009

Date

* In accordance with section 1511 of ARRA, the Certifying Official may be the Governor, mayor, or other chief executive, as appropriate.