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WASILLA CITY COUNCIL INFORMATION MEMORANDUM

IM No. 99-27

SUBJECT: Airport Paving Bids

PREPARED BY: Administration

DATE: March 2, 1999

FOR AGENDA OF: March 8, 1999

SUMMARY:

I am extremely pleased to inform you that our airport paving bids were opened last week and the apparent winner's bid came in at \$951,220 or \$550,000 *under* the engineer's estimate! Upon FAA approval of the bid documents I will present the bid for your acceptance.

The paving project should commence in mid-May. We will be shutting down the runway for no longer than 10 days during construction.

Thank you, Council, for supporting this project and allowing Administration to pursue FAA and DOT dollars to pave our airstrip, taxiways and aprons. This is another step towards creating light industry (i.e. future *jobs*) at our municipal airport. You should be proud of the developments at the airport that you have been a part of, including allowing fuel, electricity, more leased tie-down spaces and a private-sector commuter air service at the airport.

FISCAL IMPACT: No Yes, amount requested: \$ Fund:

RECOMMENDED ACTION:


Reviewed by: SARAH PALIN, Mayor

Attachments: