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MONETARY INVESTMENT

1 IN THE HOUSE

2 HOUSE BILL NO. 814

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to a program of state aid for  
7 municipal purposes; and providing for an effective  
8 date."

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

10 \* Section 1. AS 43.18.010(a) is amended to read:

11 (a) During each fiscal year the state shall pay to a city or  
12 organized borough of any class which has power to provide the following  
13 services and exercises that power

14 (1) \$10 [\$5] per capita to cities and boroughs providing  
15 police protection, subject to the conditions of (g) of this section;

16 (2) \$5 [\$2.50] per capita to cities and boroughs providing  
17 fire protection;

18 (A) fire protection includes, but is not limited to,  
19 fire protection provided by a volunteer fire department registered  
20 with the state fire marshal which has official recognition and  
21 financial support from the city or borough in which it is located;

22 (B) in addition to the grants authorized under this  
23 section, the state shall pay to a volunteer fire department  
24 registered with the state fire marshal and serving an area not  
25 in an organized borough or a city a sum for protection purposes  
26 equal to \$5 [\$2.50] per capita for the population served by the  
27 department, as determined by the state fire marshal using the  
28 latest figures of the United States Bureau of the Census or other  
29 reliable data; grants shall be made on the same basis to

1 facilitate the organization of volunteer fire departments in an  
2 area not in an organized borough or a city, upon application of  
3 the proposed fire protection group to the state fire marshal  
4 and approval of applications according to standards of organization  
5 and service prescribed by regulations promulgated by the state  
6 fire marshal;

7 (3) \$2 [\$1] per capita to cities and boroughs providing  
8 air or water pollution control or both; and

9 (4) \$2 [\$1] per capita to cities and boroughs providing  
10 land use planning;

11 (5) \$5 per capita to cities and boroughs providing for  
12 parks and recreation;

13 (6) \$5 per capita to cities and boroughs providing trans-  
14 portation facilities and services limited to municipally-operated  
15 small boat harbors, ports, airports or transit systems.

16 \* Sec. 2. AS 43.18.010(b) is amended to read:

17 (b) During each fiscal year the state shall pay to a city or organized  
18 borough of any class which has power to provide for road maintenance  
19 and exercises the power a sum equal to \$1,500 [\$1,000] a mile for  
20 each mile of road, street or highway maintained by the local govern-  
21 ment, excluding the official state highway system, roads, streets or  
22 highways not dedicated to public use, and alleyways, in accordance  
23 with regulations adopted by the Department of Highways.

24 \* Sec. 3. AS 43.18.010 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

25 (h) During each fiscal year the state shall pay to an organized  
26 borough or a city outside an organized borough, in which a health  
27 facility is operated, a sum equal to \$1,000 for each bed used for patient  
28 care within the facility, or \$4,000 for a facility, if the local govern-  
29 ment elects to accept payment on that basis for a particular facility.

1 Sums received by a local government under this subsection shall be used  
2 for expenses of operation, maintenance, or health services of facilities,  
3 as the local government determines.

4 (1) In (h) of this section "health facility" or "facility" in-  
5 cludes hospitals, public health centers, community mental health centers,  
6 facilities for the mentally or physically handicapped, nursing homes  
7 and convalescent centers which are licensed by the state under AS 18.-  
8 20.130 and are operated by a local government or by a nonprofit corpor-  
9 ation or other nonprofit sponsor; the term excludes facilities  
10 operated or wholly supported by the state or the federal government.

11 \* Sec. 4. AS 43.18.-10(f) is amended to read:

12 (f) Funds received by a city, borough or service area under this  
13 section may be expended for any public purpose for which it has power  
14 to expend public funds, except as provided in (h) of this section.

15 \* Sec. 5. This Act takes effect July 1, 1970.  
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