

Homer  
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Department

# Memo 07-147

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**To: Walt Wrede, City Manager**

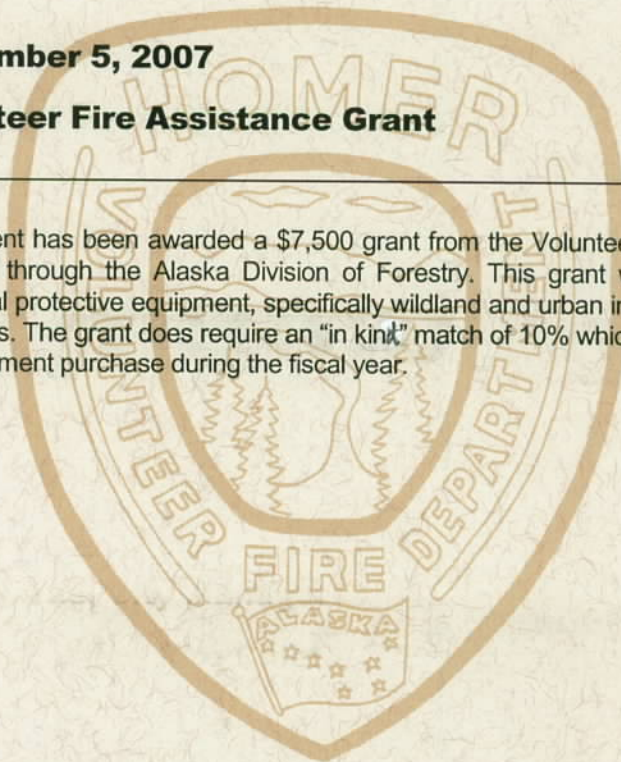
**From: Robert Painter, Fire Chief**

**CC:**

**Date: September 5, 2007**

**Re: Volunteer Fire Assistance Grant**

The fire department has been awarded a \$7,500 grant from the Volunteer Fire Assistance (VFA) distributed through the Alaska Division of Forestry. This grant was requested to purchase personal protective equipment, specifically wildland and urban interface protective gear for firefighters. The grant does require an "in kind" match of 10% which can be charged against any equipment purchase during the fiscal year.



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August 11, 2007

Homer Volunteer Fire Department  
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Dear Fire Chief,

Congratulations, your department has been awarded a Volunteer Fire Assistance (VFA) grant under Public Law 95-313, in the amount of \$7,500.

In order to receive the grant, you or the official responsible for these matters must sign the enclosed 2007 VFA Funds Condition Statement Acknowledgement and return it to this office by September 15, 2007. If we have not received the signed statement by this date, we will award the grant to another applicant.

The 2007 VFA Funds Condition Statement Acknowledgement has the detailed requirements for matching and documenting the expenditure of this grant money.

Please call or write me if you have any questions about the program, the requirements for matching funds or anything else. My phone number is 907-260-4220 and my mailing address is 42499 Sterling Hwy, Soldotna, AK 99669.

Again, congratulations, and I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Tom Marok  
Fire Management Officer

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