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Grants available for Land and Water Conservation Fund projects

(Anchorage, AK) – The Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation is accepting applications for grants it administers through the Land and Water Conservation Fund. The federally-funded program provides up to 50 percent matching grants for acquisition or development of parks and other public outdoor recreation facilities. State, regional and local entities with the legal authority to provide park and recreation services on public lands are eligible to apply.

The application deadline is 5 p.m. on Monday, October 31, 2016. The application package, including blank forms, examples and rating criteria is available online at <http://dnr.alaska.gov/parks/grants/lwcf.htm> or by contacting LWCF Grants Administrator Jean Ayers at jean.ayers@alaska.gov or 907-269-8694.

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