

City Council Hears City Alcoholism Program ...

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money his department is asking for to cover nine months were granted, it would break down this way: city, \$31,795; revenue sharing, \$126,000; BIA, \$163,089; health service, \$9,000; Division of Corrections, \$27,000 and the state alcoholism office, \$95,385.

But since proposed needs for various projects come to \$734,433, this leaves the program with the \$282,164 deficit already mentioned. These include money for contracts for referral/rehabilitation - detoxification, Halfway House, the supportive living program and outpatient counseling.

Questioned by council members on the value of the program, Wilcox said, "We do pretty well know how to rehabilitate people, but we don't exactly why it works."

He also said those being helped by the programs showed a great reaction to "people caring about them. It's a tremendous motivation to want to help."

The laws, he emphasized, are set up to take care of both ordinary intoxication and true alcoholism. Real alcoholics undergo much more extensive treatment than someone who has just had too much to drink

and needs a "sleeping-off" place, he said.

One major difference between the program here as opposed to those outside is the high incidence of Natives involved - 87 1/2 per cent against 12 1/2 per cent Caucasians. Because of this, and because of the different economic classes, it is exceedingly important to keep the present program going at full strength, he added.

He concluded by saying that Fairbanks has the most unified alcoholism program in the state and has been chosen as a model city for others to use as an example.

Shismaref Gets Funds For Store

Senator Stevens announced the approval of a Small Business Administration loan to the Native Economic Development Corp., to assist the Native village of Shismaref, Alaska.

Federal funding of \$59,400 will be added to \$6,600 from the Native Economic Development Corp. to build a new store in the village which will employ four persons.

Train for Jobs

Six categories are now open to all individuals interested in the Wildwood Indian Action Program. Applications are being taken for people desiring training in one of the categories.

Categories and number of positions available include business management, 20; pilot training, 15; general building, 10; heavy equipment mechanic, 10 and utility systems, 10.

Requirements state that the applicants must be between 18 and 35 and have a high school diploma. If they have not graduated, they may work on their General Equivalency Diploma while being trained.

Space is available for 45 singles and 30 married couples. The IAP will provide travel expenses and \$2.50 per hour during training. Trainees must pay room and board, with meals costing \$1.75 each.

Those interested in the training program should contact Don Wright, director of the Indian Action Program, at the Kenai Native Association, Inc., P.O. Box 2839, Kenai, Alaska 99611. Or they may call 283-7034 for further information.

LEGAL NOTICE

INVITATION FOR BIDS
STATE OF ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

Sealed bids in single copy for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment, and performing all work on Project 5-0380(3), Naknek to King Salmon described herein, will be received until 2:00 p.m., prevailing time, December 28, 1972, in the Commissioner's Office, Department of Highways, Island Center Building, Douglas, Alaska.

This project will consist of grading, drainage and treated subbase surfacing of 3.0 miles of roadway, at 3 separate locations, between Naknek and King Salmon, Alaska.

Principal items of work consist of the following: 19,258 cubic yards of borrow and 8,088 cubic yards of treated subbase; 668 linear feet of 24 inch pipe conduit; 64 linear feet 144 inch diameter structural plate pipe; 1,450 linear feet of beam type guardrail; 13 feet of beam wire, installations; and miscellaneous items of work.

All work shall be completed in 180 Calendar days.

Plans and specifications may be obtained by all who have a bona fide need for them for bidding purposes from the Chief Design Engineer, P.O. Box 1467, Juneau, Alaska. Plans may be examined at Department of Highway Offices in Anchorage, Fairbanks, Valdez and Nome.

B. A. Campbell
Commissioner of Highways

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CLASSIFIED SECRETARY

THE JOB:
To work as a general office secretary for the Fairbanks T.V.A. Development, Inc. based in Fairbanks, Alaska. Must have a minimum of three years progressive stenographic experience. Bookkeeping experience highly desirable.

DUTIES:
Will perform a full range of clerical functions with nominal supervision from the District's Administrative Assistant. Frequent responsibility for composition of routine correspondence for the District's Executive Director. Heavy file maintenance, agenda and minutes preparation, meeting scheduling, and some travel arrangement making.

NECESSARY QUALIFICATIONS:
Thorough knowledge of the latest office practices, procedures, etc. Command of business English; spelling and some math. Familiarity with municipal administration, grant funding, research work, and local development programs particularly helpful. Must be "thoroughly modern" in relations with others. Considerable skill and speed in typing an absolute must.

EDUCATION:
High school and some college necessary for this position. Recent secretarial and office practice courses very desirable.

Please send resume to:

Greg S. Thies
Executive Director
Fairbanks T.V.A. Development, Inc.
510 Second Avenue
P.O. Box 1267
Fairbanks, Alaska 99707

All resumes and applications must be received no later than December 15, 1972, or until vacancy is filled.

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