

**Peoples' Endowment Committee
Debbie Gonzalez, Representative
October Committee Report**

We met on Sept 18 to discuss upcoming proposal cycle, see announcement below, and will meet the week of Nov 11-15, 2013 to discuss proposals and hope to have Award(s) Announcement on Nov. 18, 2013.

The group also discussed ways to increase awareness of the Endowment and funding available for awards. Please consider the People's Endowment as part of your philanthropic activities. Debbie Gonzalez

The People's Endowment Board at the University of Alaska Fairbanks is pleased to announce the availability of funds for Fall 2013.

The People's Endowment was established at the UA Foundation in 1986 with the intent to provide a source of funds for projects that will improve UAF but would likely remain unfunded due to institutional priorities. Grants are intended to be used for a special project or to fill a critical need at UAF. Proposals will be accepted from UAF faculty, staff, and students. All proposals will be submitted to the People's Endowment Board for review and selection.

Deadline: The deadline for receipt of complete proposals is **October 28, 2013**. **Proposals received after 5 p.m. of the deadline date will not be considered.** Successful recipients will be notified on November 18, 2013.

Projects funded through PE from Spring 2012-Spring 2013: Arctic Gardeners, Midnight Sun Writer's Series, Permafrost Literary Journal, the Sikuliaq project, Ethics Bowl, Innocent Eye: The Africa Photographs of Adrina Knutson, The Art of Nunavut-Inuit Tapestries from Baker Lake and Beyond, The Origins of Peace Making Circles Video, and many more.

Examples of projects not likely to receive funding include scholarships or pure research projects, for which there are other funding opportunities available. In general, grants will not fund projects that are part of normal university activities.

The People's Endowment does not fund honorariums, salaries, and consultation service fees to UA employees.

To submit your proposal, please click on: <http://www.uaf.edu/files/provost/PE-ANNOUNCEMENT-APPLICATION-FALL-2013.pdf>

For more information on the People's Endowment and how to submit your proposal, please click on: <http://www.uaf.edu/provost/peoples-endowment/> Please contact Jennifer Hoppough at 474-7096 or jahoppough@alaska.edu for inquiries.