



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 2075

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The purpose of this project is to design, permit, construct and install a Baywalk, Kayak Launch and Boat Ramp as part of nature-base solutions for increasing Morningside Park resilience that will provide flood risk reduction within the park and/or surrounding neighborhoods while providing eco-friendly recreational, economic and social benefits.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2024-2025

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	1,600,000
Total State Funds Requested	1,600,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2024-2025 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	1,600,000	14%
Matching Funds		
Federal	2,560,637	24%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	6,180,529	57%
Other	510,875	5%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2024-2025	10,852,041	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		

9. Is future funding likely to be requested?

a. If yes, indicate nonrecurring amount per year.

b. Describe the source of funding that can be used in lieu of state funding.

10. Has the entity requesting this project received any federal assistance related to the COVID-19 pandemic?

If yes, indicate the amount of funds received and what the funds were used for.



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\$10,000,000 use to help residents in the form of grocery gift cards and local business assistance

Complete questions 11 and 12 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects

11. Status of Construction

a. What is the current phase of the project?

- Planning
 Design
 Construction
 N/A

b. Is the project "shovel ready" (i.e permitted)?

No

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

Winter 2024

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

Winter 2025

12. List the owners of the facility to receive, directly or indirectly, any fixed capital outlay funding. Include the relationship between the owners of the facility and the entity.

City of Miami

13. Details on how the requested state funds will be expended

Spending Category	Description	Amount
Administrative Costs:		
Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		0
Other Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Operational Costs: Other		
Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	funding will be used for design, permitting, and construction activities. The scope of work includes 1,000 linear feet of baywalk, a kayak launch, and improvements to boat ramp/launch.	1,600,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		1,600,000

14. Program Performance

a. What specific purpose or goal will be achieved by the funds requested?

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b. What activities and services will be provided to meet the intended purpose of these funds?



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Design, construction and management of eco-friendly baywalk, kayak launch and boat ramp that increases the park's shoreline resilience to erosion, reduces flooding of useable park space and maximizes waterfront access to the public.

c. What direct services will be provided to citizens by the appropriation project?

No direct services will be provided to citizens by the appropriation for this project.

d. Who is the target population served by this project? How many individuals are expected to be served?

The target population is the residents of the City of Miami's Morningside neighborhood. Morningside has a population of approximately 900.

e. What is the expected benefit or outcome of this project? What is the methodology by which this outcome will be measured?

protect the general public from environmental harm by reducing shoreline erosion and flooding while providen improved physical health by increasing access to the waterfront for health related recreational activities. These outcomes can be measeued by documenting use baywalk, kayak launch and boat ramp, rate of shoreline erosion and severity of flooding both pre and post constuction of improvements.

f. What are the suggested penalties that the contracting agency may consider in addition to its standard penalties for failing to meet deliverables or performance measures provided for the contract?

Failure to meet deliverables or performance measures should subject the City to an audit and depending on the results of the audit the City could be liable for sanctions up to revocation of funding.

15. Requester Contact Information

a. First Name **Last Name**

b. Organization

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number **Ext.**

16. Recipient Contact Information

a. Organization

b. Municipality and County

c. Organization Type

For Profit Entity

Non Profit 501(c)(3)

Non Profit 501(c)(4)

Local Entity

University or College

Other (please specify)

d. First Name **Last Name**

e. E-mail Address



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f. Phone Number

17. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number

Please complete the questions below for Water Projects only.

18. Have you applied for alternative state funding?

- Waste Water Revolving Loan
- Drinking Water Revolving Loan
- Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant
- Other (please specify)
- N/A

19. What is the population economic status?

- Financially Disadvantaged Community (ch. 62-552, F.A.C)
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- Rural Area of Economic Concern
- Rural Area of Opportunity (s. 288.0656, Florida Statutes)
- N/A

20. What is the status of construction?

21. What percentage of the construction has been completed?

22. What is the estimated completion date of construction?