



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2023-2024

LFIR # 2330

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

To perform surveying, geo-technical sampling, environmental analyses and other related testing to create a plan for the development of a stormwater holding area that will act as a storm water management tool, water quality control system and allow for canal recharge to maintain a healthy and sustainable eco-system.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2023-2024

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	250,000
Fixed Capital Outlay	0
Total State Funds Requested	250,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	250,000	100%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	0	0%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2023-2024	250,000	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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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

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

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

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.

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	Surveying, Environmental Analyses and Geo-technical Studies	250,000
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		0
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		250,000

14. Program Performance

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

Create a plan for the development of a storm water holding area that will act as a storm water management tool, water quality control system and allow for canal recharge to maintain a healthy and sustainable eco-system for wildlife and aquatic life within the 640-acres as well as the nearby FWC J.W. Corbett Wildlife Management Area.

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



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- Survey
- Geo-technical Studies
- Environmental Analyses and Testing
- Conceptual Design Work

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

- Improved storm water management holding capacities during major rain events and tropical systems.
- Improved water quality through natural, organic filtration processes.
- Wildlife and aquatic habitats.
- Recreational area for public use.
- Holding area for water to recharge canal systems during dry season.

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

50,000 plus population including parts of communities in Palm Beach Gardens and Royal Palm Beach

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

- Improved storm water management holding capacities during major rain events and tropical systems. Rainfall vs. Flooding Levels
- Improved water quality through natural, organic filtration processes - Water Quality Monitoring
- Wildlife and aquatic habitats - FWC and County Monitoring
- Recreational area for public use - Daily Entry
- Holding area for water to recharge canal systems during dry season - Canal Levels Monitoring during dry seasons

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?

Return of funds if deliverables are not met.

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



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Other (please specify)

d. First Name Last Name

e. E-mail Address

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)
- Financially Disadvantaged Municipality (ch. 62-552, F.A.C)
- 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?