



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2023-2024

LFIR # 1920

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The City of Jacob is seeking funding to install updated meters for the City. These will include new boxes, lids, meters, curb stops, customer valves, backflows, and AMI endpoints. These will aid the City of Jacob with showing leaks in real time, as well as time reading all them individually on a monthly basis.

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	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	400,000
Total State Funds Requested	400,000

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)	400,000	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	400,000	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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Cares Act: \$49,817 Used to buy a digital sign, touch-less sinks and toilets around the City, Verizon MiFi's, Computer, Gate for the Park, Tablets.

ARPA: \$61,605 Used to buy a tractor, upgrades to their website for information to citizens.

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)?

No

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

7-1-2024

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

10-31-2024

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.

The entity owns and operates the facility.

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	Design, survey, permitting, and admin services.	55,000
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Construction services of new water meters.	345,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		400,000

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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These new cellular meters meters offers a more reliable source for gathering water usage data and detecting leaks.

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

Not only a more reliable source to gathering water usage data, but a quicker way for the City to detect water leaks, as well as conserve staff time reading the current meters. In case of an emergency, the City has a fire department equipped within the City to supply aid in a timely manner, and equipped to assist in other disasters whether natural or accidental.

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

The residents of the of City of Jacob currently connected and those that wish to connect to the City's water system, totaling approximately 250-300 residents.

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

The City will benefit from receiving these funds by detecting water leaks more quickly and reducing staff time for reading meters and making any necessary repairs to the system, which will be a direct economic benefit to the City and its residents. By upgrading the water meters, the City will cut down on the amount of water that is lost and gather meter readings more efficiently in real time, all while being more user friendly. This project will also create more jobs for the construction of the new meters.

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?

Repayment of funds to contracting agency for failure to meet deliverables or performance measures as outlined in the executed agreement.

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



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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) FDEP Grant Portal
- ☐ 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?