



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2021-2022

LFIR # 1472

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The City of Gulfport is seeking funding assistance for the Gulfport Linear Breakwater Park Project. This project is part of a multi-year City-wide effort to redevelop its Waterfront Marina District, promote eco-tourism, beautify, educate and provide access to its living shoreline. Raised Boardwalks, Landscaping, Beach and Habitat restoration will provide the marina with some necessary protection against the element. City will pay the cost of the design of these facilities with local funds.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2021-2022

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	735,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>735,000</b>

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	735,000	92%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	65,000	8%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2021-2022</b>	<b>800,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

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?



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

#### 11. Details on how the requested state funds will be expended

Spending Category	Description	Amount
<b>Administrative Costs:</b>		
Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		0
Other Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
<b>Operational Costs: Other</b>		
Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
<b>Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:</b>		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	- Construction of raised Boardwalks, Landscaping, Beach and Habitat restoration will provide the marina with some necessary protection against the elements. In addition to enhancing the shoreline, the proposed project will provide mobility and connectivity to local, regional and statewide trail systems, which access the City's beachfront and downtown areas.	735,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>735,000</b>

#### 12. Program Performance

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

The City of Gulfport is seeking funding assistance for the construction of the Gulfport Linear Breakwater Park Project. This project is part of a multi-year City-wide effort to redevelop its Waterfront Marina District, promote eco-tourism, beautify, educate and provide access to its living shoreline. Raised Boardwalks, Landscaping, Beach and Habitat restoration will provide the marina with some necessary protection against the element. City will pay the cost of the design of these facilities with local funds.

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

beautified entry feature will provide the community with the location and destination location of the Gulfport Linear Breakwater Park that begins a hardscape ADA compliant access path approximately 750' long, with fencing, and railing to direct the public to the gazebo at the end of the Project.  
of the Beach and Landscaping are other features amenities being provide to promote the restoration of the shoreline. Finger Piers will be provided along the southern portion of the linear boardwalk with benches for sitting and fishing. A one story gazebo constructed at the tip of the peninsula will provide the users a prominent spot for observing the nature of Boca Ciega Bay.

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

Will provide the community with the location and destination location of the Gulfport Linear Breakwater Park that begins a hard scape ADA compliant access path approximately 750' long, with fencing, and railing to direct the public to the gazebo at the end of the Project.  
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**d. Who is the target population served by this project? How many individuals are expected to be served?**

Residents of the City of Gulfport and Pinellas County - Visitors to and Resident population immediately adjacent to Boca Ciega Bay.

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

Public Waterfront Access - Documentation of Usage.

**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?**

State Project Funds would not be re-reimbursed to the City of Gulfport upon project completion and inspection.

**13. 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.**

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#### 14. Requestor Contact Information

a. First Name  Last Name

b. Organization

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number  Ext.

#### 15. 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

f. Phone Number

#### 16. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number