



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2021-2022

LFIR # 1679

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

In the community of Mount Dora, more and more residents as well as visitors are driving electric vehicles (EV) and this trend is expected to continue. Therefore a place to charge their EVs as they drive through or visit the downtown area is crucial. The city now has 2 older chargers in use. These need to be upgraded and two more need to be added. One of the charging locations would include a fast charger of which there are very few in this area of central Florida.

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 | 125,000 |
| Total State Funds Requested | 125,000 |

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) | 125,000 | 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 2021-2022 | 125,000 | 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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The city received \$1.3 million of CARES Act money from the county to purchase medical and public health protective supplies, to cover payroll expenses for public safety, and expenses to meet COVID precautions.

11. 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 | The funds will cover the installation including the electric service and charging equipment. | 125,000 |
| Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6) | | 125,000 |

12. 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?

These charging stations will provide for the promotion and usability of electric vehicles in Mount Dora and in northern Lake County.

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

The ability to charge electric vehicles in Mount Dora.

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

Citizens, tourists, and business owners. More than 800 people.

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

Four new charging stations will be installed in the Mount Dora downtown area. The vendor will be paid once the charging stations have been properly installed and in good working condition.

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?

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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.

City of Mt. Dora.



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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