



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2021-2022

LFIR # 1939

1. Project Title
2. Senate Sponsor
3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The request is for funding to build the Richloam Museum, which upon completion will offer free admission to the public. The museum will serve to preserve the history of the people of Richloam, including African Americans that worked in the turpentine industry. The museum will also educate youth on historical task through hands on workshops. Richloam Museum will provide scholarships to local under privileged students.

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	100,000
Total State Funds Requested	100,000

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)	100,000	93%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	0	0%
Other	7,000	7%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2021-2022	107,000	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		
2020-21		50,000	3186	Yes

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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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	Building of the Richloam Museum. The museum will serve to preserve the history of the people of Richloam, including African Americans that worked in the turpentine industry.	100,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		100,000

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?

The completion of rebuilding the cucumber packing house, train depot, ice house, and smoke house.

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

The museum will also educate youth on historical tasks through hands on workshops. Richloam Museum will provide scholarships to local under privileged students.

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

Economically disadvantaged persons, persons with poor mental health, persons with poor physical health, at-risk youth, and preschool, grade school, high school, and college students. The Richloam General Store, located on the same property, had 75,000 guests in 2020. The museum is expected to have over 150,000 visitors annually.

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

Higher education and higher responsibility for the youth. Through a question and answer survey of the youth during the programs it can be determined if the programs are achieving the goals.

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?

Standard contract penalties will be sufficient.



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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.

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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