



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2021-2022

LFIR # 1972

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Replace existing department structure which is over 30 years old and not equipped to house all the necessary equipment (2 fire trucks, rescue truck, quick response vehicle with extrication equipment, and tanker truck). Construct a helipad and facility qualified as shelter for evacuation.

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	2,550,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>2,550,000</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)	2,550,000	98%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	50,000	2%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2021-2022</b>	<b>2,600,000</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?

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



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\$152,000 for PPE and upgraded equipment and safety supplies.

#### 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	Building engineer and architect, building permits, and construction of fire station.	2,550,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>2,550,000</b>

#### 12. Program Performance

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

A new fire station will provide adequate storage space for fire trucks, tanker, rescue truck, emergency response vehicle with extraction equipment, and fire safety equipment and provide an adequate training facility for emergency responders.

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

Community safety in case of fire or natural emergencies/disaster, CPR training, and firefighter safety training. If approved, the building would be used as an emergency shelter in case of disasters or natural emergencies.

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

Adequately trained personnel and quicker response times to high volume call areas.

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

Approximately 8,000 residents reside within the fire department's assigned area. The Sneads Volunteer Fire Department response area includes 2 large correctional facilities and I-10 for coverage from mile markers 161-155 that has an average of 20,000 vehicles traveling on it daily.

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

A new facility would replace the outdated and undersized building with adequate space to provide necessary storage for vehicles and equipment. The new facility would improve response times and provide new training opportunities for emergency responders. It would be the only approved emergency shelter within an 18 mile radius of Sneads.

##### 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?

A surety bond would be in place to cover the amount of the project in its entirety. The bond would be called if the performance standards were not being met.



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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.**

The Town of Sneads and the Sneads Volunteer Fire Department.



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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