



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2022-2023

LFIR # 1289

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Dredge the accumulation that occurs at locations within the north shoreline where the ebb tidal current is not adequate to flush all the sand out of the inlet.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2022-2023

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	1,200,000
Fixed Capital Outlay	356,000
Total State Funds Requested	1,556,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	1,556,000	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 2022-2023	1,556,000	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.

Funding will be sourced from the City of Madeira Beach, Pinellas County, effected property owners, and FDOT.

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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Received \$88,170.50 from the CARES Act. Funds were used for COVID-19 related expenses.

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	Contracting a dredging service for mobilization, coordination, and overall construction observation	1,200,000
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Dredging of John's Pass north shoreline for commercial vessel access	356,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		1,556,000

12. Program Performance

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

To dredge the accumulation that occurs at locations within the north shoreline where the ebb tidal current is not adequate to flush all the sand out of the inlet.

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

There is a study on the area with a dredging recommendation provided by Dr. Ping Wang from Coastal Research Laboratory School of Geosciences University of South Florida which states the areas of needed dredging.

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

Dredging will result in removing sand that has currently accumulated along the north shoreline which poses a safety hazard.

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

Approximately 200,000 full time residents and tourist that visit year-round.

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

Removal of the sand will not only widen the channel for better access into John's Pass but it will also reduce the number of rescue calls in that area. The velocity in the main channel will be reduced and the north shoreline will be stabilized.

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?

Madeira Beach will meet all requirements specified in the contract. If an issue is anticipated, the City will notify the Department in advance and make any necessary adjustments.



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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.**

Property owners along the northern side of John's Pass Channel including the City of Madeira Beach and State of Florida.



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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



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Please complete the questions below for Water Projects only.

17. Have you applied for alternative state funding?

- ☐ Waste Water Revolving Loan
- ☐ Drinking Water Revolving Loan
- ☐ Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant
- ☐ Other (please specify)
- ☒ N/A

18. 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

19. What is the status of construction?

Not started

20. What percentage of the construction has been completed?

Construction has not started

21. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

10/1/2024