

The Florida Senate Local Funding Initiative Request Fiscal Year 2022-2023

LFIR # 1572

1. Project Title	Suwannee County Emergency Operations Center								
2. Senate Sponsor	Jennifer Bradley								
3. Date of Request	11/28/2021								
4. Project/Program D	escription								
New emergency op	•								
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5. State Agency to re	-	inas Divis	ion of Emergency Mana	gement					
State Agency conta	acted? No								
. Amount of the Non	recurring Request	for Fiscal Yea	r 2022-2023						
Type of Funding			Ame	ount					
Operations				0					
Fixed Capital Outlay				2,000,000					
Total State Funds	Requested			2,000,000					
. Total Project Cost	for Fiscal Year 202	2-2023 (includ	ing matching funds ava	ailable for this proje	ect)				
Type of Funding			Amount	Percentage					
Total State Funds R	Requested (from que	estion #6)	2,000,000	91%					
Matching Funds									
Federal			0	0%	1				
State (excluding the amount of this request)			200,000	0%	1				
	Local			9%	1				
Other			0	0%	1				
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2022-2023			2,200,000	100%					
. Has this project pr	eviously received	state funding?	No						
Fiscal Year	Amount		Specific	Vetoed					
(уууу-уу)	Recurring	Nonrecurrin	Appropriation #						
). Is future funding li	kely to be request	3 0 ?	No		1				
a. If yes, indicate r	onrecurring amou	nt per year.]				
b. Describe the so	urce of funding the	at can be used	in lieu of state funding						
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0. Has the entity req	uesting this proje	ct received any	/ federal assistance rel	ated to the COVID-	19 pandemic?				
Yes									
	amount of funds	received and v	what the funds were use	ed for.					
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\$258,000 for equip Total \$8,098,885.	ment and PPE, \$7,	840,885 for rein	nbursement of salaries fo	or first responders.					



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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/Majo	r Renovation:					
Construction/Renovation/Land/ Planning Engineering	Construction of a new emergency operations center. This will be a new construction project which will include the structure and necessary site improvements.	2,000,000				
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)						

12. Program Performance

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

The current emergency operations center is a stand alone classroom that was part of an old school. Due to its age, the building was not constructed to the current hurricane building codes and will need to be evacuated during serious storm events. The building is also too small to accommodate meetings with representatives and support staff of all agencies that need to participate in the emergency coordination meetings. The new facility will be large enough to accommodate that need.

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

Construction of the new facility will enable the county and associated agencies to plan for threats associated with natural disasters including but not limited to evacuations and providing services to the most vulnerable. It will also serve as the control center for responding in the aftermath of events.

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

A new facility will better enable the county and associated agencies to plan for and potentially mitigate risks associated with the natural disasters and provide services in the aftermath of events.

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

All of the citizens of the county.

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



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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 funds are typically distributed as a reimbursement. Standard contract penalties are sufficient.

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.

Suwannee County Board of County Commissioners



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14. Requestor Contact Information							
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	b. Municipality and	d County	Suwannee				
	c. Organization Type						
	□For Profit Entity	ı					
	□Non Profit 501(c	c)(3)					
	□Non Profit 501(c	c)(4)					
	☑Local Entity						
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