



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2022-2023

LFIR # 2432

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The Town of Bascom sits in the northern part of Jackson County between the Town of Malone and the Town of Greenwood. The proposed project is to construct a power-resilient water system for the Town of Bascom. This would consist of a production well with appurtenances, an alternate power generating source, a ground storage tank with associated pumps, 6" water mains and fire hydrants throughout the Town, and service laterals and meters for connections to the end-users. This project will give the Town and its business and residential end-users proper fire protection and its own water system in hopes of future growth within the Town.

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	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	6,921,933
Total State Funds Requested	6,921,933

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)	6,921,933	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	6,921,933	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		
				No

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?



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

\$28,000, the funds were used for a marquee sign, and other PPE for the public facilities and parks.

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	Execution, Evaluation, Reporting Survey, Design, Permitting and Inspection	721,765
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Construction of the water system.	6,200,168
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		6,921,933

12. Program Performance

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

The project will provide the proper fire protection throughout the Town, give citizens an adequate power-resilient water supply, and allow for future growth opportunities.

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

The construction of a power-reliable water system will supply water throughout the Town using 6" water lines. Fire hydrants will be placed properly throughout.

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

The completed project will provide a clean, reliable, and power-resilient water system with adequate capacity for public consumption, fire protection, and future growth.

The managed water system will offer greater appeal for business relocation/establishment providing more job opportunities and economic growth.

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

The entire Town of Bascom will gain immediate benefit from the water system. Neighboring residents may subsequently gain connection to the Town's water system. Approximately 100 - 200 residents.

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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To supply the Town with a clean and reliable water system, help promote growth for the town, and have proper fire protection for the residents. The level of benefit will be measured by water quality reports.

Added comparative analysis will be used to measure the first year success.

% of commercial district gaining access to completed water system.

% Increase of water supply to fire incident.

% of residential units gaining access to completed water system.

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?

It is not anticipated that failing to meet deliverables or performance measures will occur, however, if such penalties are needed, withholding funding would be an appropriate measure.

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 Bascom would own and operate the water system and the proposed well.



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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?

N/A

20. What percentage of the construction has been completed?

0%

21. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

12-31-2023