

The Florida Senate Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 1739

- 1. Project Title Hialeah Gardens South District Water Main Improvements
- 2. Senate Sponsor Bryan Avila
- 3. Date of Request 11/21/2023

4. Project/Program Description

REPLACEMENT OF +/- 4,000 LINEAR FEET OF 30-TO 40-YEAR-OLD WATER MAIN, HYDRANTS, VALVES AND SERVICES ALONG OKEECHOBEE'S FRONTAGE ROAD BETWEEN NW 87 AND 97 AVE. TO RESTORE SYSTEM DEPENDABILITY AND MAINTAIN FIRE PROTECTION LEVELS TO STANDARDS.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

Department of Environmental Protection

State Agency contacted? No

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2024-2025

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	3,000,000
Total State Funds Requested	3,000,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2024-2025 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	3,000,000	64%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	1,700,000	36%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2024-2025	4,700,000	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding? No

Fiscal Year	Amo	ount	Specific	Vetoed	
(уууу-уу)	Recurring Nonrecurring		Appropriation #		

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.

The ARAP funds were used last fiscal year for infrastructure project – Water Main re locations in approximately \$900K, upgrade to police fleet of \$96K for a total of \$996K.

10. Has the entity requesting this project received any federal assistance related to the COVID-19 pandemic?

No

Yes

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



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Complete questions 11 and 12 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects

11. Status of Construction

a. What is the current phase of the project?

🔘 Planning	💽 Design	Construction	🔵 N/A
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b.	Is the	project	"shovel	ready"	(i.e	permitted)?	

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

Yes
JULY 2024
JULY 2025

12. List 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 City of Hialeah Gardens.

13. 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	REPLACEMENT OF +/- 4,000 LINEAR FEET OF 30 TO 40 YEAR OLD WATER MAIN, HYDRANTS, VALVES AND SERVICES ALONG OKEECHOBEE'S FRONTAGE ROAD BETWEEN NW 87 AND 97 AVE. TO RESTORE SYSTEM DEPENDABILITY AND MAINTAIN FIRE PROTECTION LEVELS TO BUSINESS AND RESIDENTS.	3,000,000
Total State Funds Requested (m	ust equal total from question #6)	3,000,000

14. Program Performance

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

MINIMIZE THE POSSIBILITY OF A WATER MAIN RUPTURE AND INTERRUPTION OF FIRE PROTECTION AND POTABLE WATER SERVICE TO BUSINESS AND RESIDENTS.

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



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

MINIMIZE THE POSSIBILITY OF A WATER MAIN RUPTURE AND INTERRUPTION OF FIRE PROTECTION AND POTABLE WATER SERVICE TO BUSINESS AND RESIDENTS.

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

THE RESIDENTS OF HIALEH GARDENS AND ALL GENERAL PUBLIC.

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

RESTORE SYSTEM DEPENDABILITY AND MAINTAIN FIRE PROTECTION LEVELS TO BUSINESS AND RESIDENTS.

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?

THE CITY IS OPEN TO ANY PROPOSED PENALTIES THE STATE REQUIRES FOR FAILING TO PERFORM.

15. Requester Contact Information

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16. Recipient Contact	Information		
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c. Organization Ty	ре		
Ger Profit Entity			
□Non Profit 501(c	:)(3)		
□Non Profit 501(c	:)(4)		
☑Local Entity			
□University or Co	llege		
□Other (please sp	pecify)		
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17. Lobbyist Contact Information

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Please complete the questions below for Water Projects only.

18. 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

19. 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

20. What is the status of construction?

PROJECT IS READY FOR CONSTRUCTION

21. What percentage of the construction has been completed?

0

22. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

07/01/2025