

The Florida Senate Local Funding Initiative Request Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 2283

1. Project Title Suwannee School District School Door Barricades

2. Senate Sponsor Corey Simon

3. Date of Request 12/12/2023

4. Project/Program Description

Every school classroom with be given added protection from death or great bodily injury, inflicted by person or persons intending to harm the children and or staff. Staff and students will now be able to safely secure a door, even if the door is not locked or the lock is broken, as it was in the Uvalde school shooting, simply by dropping the pin into the barricade system.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

Department of Education

State Agency contacted? No

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

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	172,500
Total State Funds Requested	172,500

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)	172,500	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 2024-2025	172,500	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.

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

No

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 Obesign Oconstruction N/A

- b. Is the project "shovel ready" (i.e permitted)?
- c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

Yes	
60 days after funding	
30 from start	

- d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?
- 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.

Suwannee County School District.

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	Each classroom door will be fitted with the Legacy Barricade Door Locking System.	172,500
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6) 172,50		

14. Program Performance

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

It will bring greater safety to all of the school classrooms for staff and students. It will make entry into the classroom by someone intent on killing or harming anyone take much longer, if at all. That time will allow law enforcement time to respond and end the threat.

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

Each classroom door will be fitted with the Legacy Barricade Door Locking System.



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

It will provide greater security for all students and staff inside the classroom. It will also create a safer learning environment and may even calm some of the fear and anxiety that students and staff have.

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

The entire Suwannee School District, Pre-school through Adult Education.

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

The school classrooms with now be able to be secured, during and active killer event, providing much greater protection than the door lock alone. If the killer is able to make entry at all, the time to do so will be much greater than a lock alone or in the event, a door that is not locked. That time will save lives.

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?

Legacy Barricades, will provide the Suwannee School District 10% off of the total project cost if the project is not completed on the agreed upon date. If the barricade system is not performing to the satisfaction of the school district Superintendent, upon completion of the project, Legacy Barricades will correct all areas of concern and take a 10% reduction in the project payment.

15. Requester Contact Information

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c. E-ma	il Address	superintendent@suwannee.k12.fl.us			
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16. Recipie	nt Contact	Informatio	on		
a. Orga	nization	Suwannee School District			
b. Muni	b. Municipality and County Suwannee				
c. Orgai	nization Ty	ре			
□For	□For Profit Entity				
□Non	□Non Profit 501(c)(3)				
□Non	□Non Profit 501(c)(4)				
⊠Loca	☑Local Entity				
□University or College					
□Other (please specify)					
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17. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name	None
b. Firm Name	
c. E-mail Address	
d. Phone Number	