



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2026-2027

LFIR # 1747

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The funds will address a project in the East Flagami community of the city which experiences significant flooding during king-tides, rain events, and effects of the sea-level rise. These funds will be used for right-of-way improvements including new and upsized stormwater inlets and pipes, exfiltration trenches, and a new stormwater pump station with injection wells.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2026-2027

Type of Funding	Amount
Operating	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	1,500,000
Total State Funds Requested	1,500,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2026-2027 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	1,500,000	5%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	27,049,143	95%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2026-2027	28,549,143	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

If yes, provide the most recent instance:

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		
2022-23	0	3,000,000	1665A	No

9. Is future-year 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.

Complete questions 10 and 11 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects



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10. Status of Construction

a. What is the current phase of the project?

☐ Planning ☐ Design ☒ Construction ☐ N/A

b. Is the project "shovel ready" (i.e permitted)?

Yes

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

01/15/2026

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

09/15/2027

e. What funding stream will be used for ongoing operations and maintenance of the project?

City of Miami Public Works Funds.

11. 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 entity to receive the funds will be the City of Miami, the pump station improvement is a City of Miami public works project- direct relationship

12. 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		
Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Design and construction of right-of-way improvements including roadway reconstruction, drainage system, ADA ramps, sidewalks, curbs and gutters, signing and pavement markings, and landscaping.	1,500,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		1,500,000

13. Program Performance

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

The funds requested will be used to reduce neighborhood flooding, improve stormwater capacity, and enhance public safety by constructing new and upsized stormwater inlets and pipes, adding exfiltration trenches, and building a new stormwater pump station with injection wells. These improvements will increase system reliability, protect infrastructure, and improve roadway access during heavy rain events.

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



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Activities and services funded through this request will include engineering design, permitting, and construction of key stormwater infrastructure improvements. These activities include installing new and upsized stormwater inlets and pipes, constructing exfiltration trenches, and developing a new stormwater pump station with injection wells. Project management, inspection, and testing services will also be provided to ensure the system operates effectively and meets all regulatory standards.

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

The appropriation will provide direct services to residents by reducing flooding in neighborhoods and public roadways, improving stormwater drainage, and enhancing overall public safety during heavy rainfall events. Citizens will benefit from more reliable roadway access, reduced property damage, improved water quality, and faster drainage due to upgraded stormwater infrastructure and the new pump station. These services directly improve quality of life and community resilience.

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

The target population served by this project includes residents, businesses, and visitors within the affected drainage basin and surrounding neighborhoods.

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

The expected outcome of this project is a significant reduction in neighborhood and roadway flooding, improved stormwater management capacity, and enhanced public safety and mobility during heavy rainfall events. The upgraded drainage infrastructure—including new and upsized inlets and pipes, exfiltration trenches, and the stormwater pump station—will increase system reliability and reduce the frequency, duration, and severity of flood conditions.

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 in the contract?

Return of funds to the state.

14. Is this project related to mitigation, response, or recovery from a natural disaster?

a. If Yes, what phase best describes the project?

- ☐ Mitigation (reducing or eliminating potential loss of life or property)
- ☐ Response (addressing the immediate and short-term effects of a natural disaster)
- ☐ Recovery (assisting communities return to normal operations, including rebuilding damaged infrastructure)

b. Name of the natural disaster (or Executive Order # for events not under a federal declaration):

15. Has the entity applied for or received federal assistance for this project?

- ☐ Yes, Applied
- ☐ Yes, Received
- ☐ No
- ☐ No, but intends to apply

a. If yes, provide the FEMA project worksheet ID#:

b. Provide the total project cost listed on the FEMA project worksheet:



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16. Has the entity applied for or received state assistance for this project (other than this request)?

- ☐ Yes, Applied
- ☐ Yes, Received
- ☐ No
- ☐ No, but intends to apply

a. If yes, specify the program and state agency (ex. Local Government Emergency Bridge Loan, Department of Commerce):

Please complete questions 17 through 21 for Water Projects only.

17. Have you been awarded or applied for alternative state funding for this project?

- ☐ Water Quality Improvement Grant Program
- ☐ Resilient Florida Grant Program
- ☐ Wastewater Revolving Loan
- ☐ Drinking Water Revolving Loan
- ☐ Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant
- ☐ Other (please specify, ex. Alternative Water Supply Grants)
- ☒ N/A

18. What is the population economic status?

- ☐ Financially Disadvantaged Community (ch. 62-552, F.A.C)
- ☐ Financially Disadvantaged Municipality (ch. 62-552, F.A.C)
- ☐ Rural Area of Economic Concern
- ☐ Rural Area of Opportunity (s. 288.0656, Florida Statutes)
- ☒ N/A

19. What is the status of construction?

Pre-Construction

20. What percentage of the construction has been completed?

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21. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

22. Requester Contact Information

a. First Name Last Name
b. Organization
c. E-mail Address
d. Phone Number Ext.

23. 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 Ext.

24. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name
b. Firm Name
c. E-mail Address
d. Phone Number

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