



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2026-2027

LFIR # 1751

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The funds for this project would allow for reconstruction of roads, drainage improvements, curb and gutter enhancements, new landscaping, sidewalk improvements and ADA ramps on SW 15th Road from SW 3rd Avenue to SW 11th Street.

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	21%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	5,586,725	79%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2026-2027	7,086,725	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		

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?

10/15/2026

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

10/15/2027

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 Southwest 15th Road Drainage & Roadway 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	Reconstruction of roads, drainage, curb and gutter, landscaping, sidewalk, and ADA ramps.	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?

These improvements will increase safety, reduce flooding, improve accessibility, and enhance the overall quality and functionality of the surrounding community.

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

Activities and services necessary to complete the infrastructure improvements. These include engineering and design work, permitting, roadway reconstruction, drainage upgrades, installation of new curbs and gutters, construction of sidewalks and ADA-compliant ramps, landscaping enhancements, and all required inspections and project management.



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

The project will provide several direct benefits to citizens, including safer and smoother roadways, improved drainage that reduces street flooding, enhanced pedestrian pathways through new sidewalks, better accessibility with ADA-compliant ramps, and upgraded neighborhood landscaping. These improvements will create a safer, more accessible, and more reliable transportation environment for all residents and visitors.

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

The target population for this project includes all residents, businesses, and visitors who travel through or live within the project area. This includes motorists, pedestrians, seniors, individuals with disabilities, and families who rely on safe and accessible infrastructure. Based on local traffic volumes and neighborhood population density, the project is expected to directly benefit several thousand individuals each year by improving roadway conditions, accessibility, and overall public safety.

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

The expected benefit of this project is improved public safety, enhanced accessibility, and reduced flooding through the reconstruction of roadways, upgraded drainage systems, new curbs and gutters, improved sidewalks, and ADA-compliant ramps. Additional benefits include smoother traffic flow, better mobility for pedestrians and individuals with disabilities, and overall enhancement of neighborhood appearance and infrastructure reliability.

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?

Standard contract penalties are sufficient.

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):

17. Requester Contact Information

a. First Name **Last Name**

b. Organization

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number **Ext.**

18. 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.**

19. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address



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d. Phone Number

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