



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2026-2027

LFIR # 1969

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The City of Archer is requesting funds to revitalize its parks and recreation areas by upgrading the splash pad for improved safety and accessibility, renovating Maddox Park baseball fields to enhance play conditions and attract regional events, installing perimeter fencing to secure the park and protect investments, and modernizing the pavilion to provide an inclusive gathering space. These improvements will create a vibrant, multi-use destination that promotes health and wellness, fosters youth engagement, strengthens community bonds, and stimulates economic activity, representing a long-term investment in Archer's quality of life.

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	195,000
Total State Funds Requested	195,000

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)	195,000	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 2026-2027	195,000	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.



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Complete questions 10 and 11 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects

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)?

No

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

03/30/2027

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

06/30/2028

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

General fund

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.

City of Archer

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	Renovation and upgrades to the aging recreation areas and facilities	195,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		195,000

13. Program Performance

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

The specific goal of the funds being requested is to revitalize and upgrade the aging recreation areas and facilities, including upgrades to the splash pad, the baseball fields, park fencing, and the pavilion, in order to create a vibrant, multi-use destination that promotes health and wellness, fosters youth engagement, strengthens community bonds, and stimulates economic activity.

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



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The activities provided by the funds include revitalizing and upgrading the aging recreation areas and facilities, including upgrades to the splash pad, the baseball fields, park fencing, and the park pavilion.

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

The direct service provided by the project include renovating and upgrading the aging and deteriorating recreation and park areas, which will create a vibrant, multi-use destination that promotes health and wellness, fosters youth engagement, strengthens community bonds, and stimulates economic activity.

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

The City of Archer's population of approximately 1,140 people as of the 2020 census will be served.

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 to provide vibrant, multi-use areas that promote physical health and wellness, fostering youth engagement, strengthening community bonds, and stimulating economic activity in the area. The methodology by which this outcome will be measured is by tracking the numbers of people who use the facilities before and after the renovations occur.

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?

If the project does not meet the standards of the department, this will be addressed through withholding payment, corrective action plans, or termination of the agreement.

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:

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



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- ☐ 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

d. Phone Number



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