



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2020-2021

LFIR # 1995

1. **Project Title** St. Marks Riverwalk

2. **Senate Sponsor** Bill Montford

3. **Date of Request** 10/10/2019

4. **Project/Program Description**

Construction of an asphalt and elevated wood construction walkway approximately 1,500 LF of walkway along the St. Marks River, connecting the existing bike trail and downtown area to the San Marcos de Apalachee State Park. The project will include survey, permitting, and construction inspection.

5. **State Agency to receive requested funds** Department of Economic Opportunity

State Agency contacted? ☐ Yes ☒ No

6. **Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2020-2021**

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	000
Fixed Capital Outlay	890,000
Total State Funds Requested	890,000

7. **Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2020-2021 (including matching funds available for this project)**

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	890000	100.0 %
Matching Funds		
Federal	00	0 %
State (excluding the amount of this request)	00	0 %
Local	00	0 %
Other	00	0 %
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2020-2021	890,000	100 %

8. **Has this project previously received state funding?** ☐ Yes ☒ No

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?** ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, indicate nonrecurring amount per year.



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10. Details on how the requested state funds will be expended

Spending Category	Description	Amount
Administrative Costs:		
Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Other Salary and Benefits		<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Operational Costs: Other		
Salary and Benefits		<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Survey, design, permitting, and CEI for the construction of an asphalt and elevated wood construction walkway approximately 1,500 LF.	890,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		890,000



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11. Program Performance

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

Construction of approximately 1,500 LF of walkway.

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

Survey, design, permitting, construction inspection, and construction.

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

This project will open up the waterfront along the St. Marks River to the public from the San Marcos de Apalachee State Park to the business district of the town of St. Marks. Also, the walkway will connect to the existing St. Marks Bike Trail which starts in Leon County and terminates in the City of St. Marks.

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

The target population will include, but is not limited to, individuals fishing, cycling, and walking. It is difficult to determine the actual number of individuals that will be served, but a conservative number would be 7,000 people a year.

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

It is expected to increase the usage of the existing St. Marks Bike Trail, visitors to the San Marcos de Apalachee State Park, and tourism to the City of St. Marks. The outcome can be measured through registrations at the state park and the increased traffic in the local business's in the City of St. Marks.

- 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?

Refund of funds.



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12. **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 St. Marks.

13. **Requestor Contact Information**

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

14. **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

15. **Lobbyist Contact Information**

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