



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 3409

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The state provided an appropriation of \$750,000 to design the new bridge in the 2023 Legislative Session. The city has requested federal assistance to construct the new bridge; however, no funding has been appropriated. The city is requesting \$5.5 million to construct a resilient bridge on East Periwinkle Way, which is an arterial road to the island's east end and a critical evacuation route.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

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

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	5,500,000
Total State Funds Requested	5,500,000

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)	5,500,000	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 2024-2025	5,500,000	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		
2023-24	0	750,000	2042A	No

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.

The City has requested Federal funding through Congressman Donald's Community Assistance Program. Funding from the Federal Highway Authority is a possibility but not guaranteed.

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



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If yes, indicate the amount of funds received and what the funds were used for.

CARES Act funding - \$440,081. Funds were used for COVID testing for city employees, purchase of personal protective equipment, workspace protective barriers, legal services, and payroll related to managing the pandemic.

Complete questions 11 and 12 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects

11. 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?

Spring 2025

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

December 2025

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.

City of Sanibel

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/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Funds will be used to replace the E. Periwinkle Way Bridge.	5,500,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		5,500,000

14. Program Performance

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

To replace/reconstruct the E. Periwinkle Bridge that was significantly damaged during Hurricane Ian with a more resilient bridge.

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



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Construction services.

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

The citizens will receive the direct benefit of a resilient bridge on a main arterial road that serves as an emergency route for emergency services personnel and as an evacuation route.

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

Sanibel residents and visitors - 100,000+

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

A new resilient bridge will be constructed.

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?

Failure to adequately fulfill deliverables or performance measures as contractually required may lead to reduction in funding or contract termination.

15. Requester Contact Information

a. First Name **Last Name**

b. Organization

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number **Ext.**

16. 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

17. Lobbyist Contact Information



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