



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 2384

1. **Project Title**

2. **Senate Sponsor**

3. **Date of Request**

4. **Project/Program Description**

Daytona State College's Auto Service Technician program is in need of upgrades and facilities improvements to accommodate instruction in the latest technology in Advanced Driver Assistance Systems (ADAS). Knowledge of this mandated requirement for new cars, including lane assist and accident-avoidance technology, will be expected from future graduates of this at-capacity one-year program. The request includes an ADAS Calibration System with Lift, calibration tools, ADAS-equipped vehicles, wheel balancers, a brake lathe, a tire changer, and various modifications to the auto service lab to accommodate the equipment.

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	570,000
Fixed Capital Outlay	0
Total State Funds Requested	570,000

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)	570,000	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	570,000	100%

8. **Has this project previously received state funding?**

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		

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.**

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.

The College was awarded \$54,143,384 in Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF). As of June 30, 2023, the College used \$22,266,770 for direct student aid and \$27,020,820 for institutional support to date.

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)?

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

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.

Daytona State College owns the facilities, as a member of the Florida College System.

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	The request includes ADAS Calibration System with Lift, calibration tools, ADAS-equipped vehicles, wheel balancers, a brake lathe, a tire changer, and various modifications to the auto service lab to accommodate the equipment.	570,000
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		0
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		570,000

14. Program Performance

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



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The goal of this project is to incorporate the latest advanced driver-assistance systems (ADAS) technology into DSC's at-capacity auto service technology vocational program. Graduates of this 1800-hour vocational program need to be prepared to service vehicles with this type of technology as it becomes mandated on new cars and trucks.

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

Purchase and installation of new teaching equipment, including an ADAS Calibration System with Lift, calibration tools, ADAS-equipped vehicles, wheel balancers, a brake lathe, a tire changer, and various modifications to the auto service lab to accommodate the equipment.

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

Improved training for graduates of the DSC Auto Service Technology program. Job placement from the program is about 90% and new graduates will be expected to have mastered the elements of ADAS technology.

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

The target population is comprised of students in the Auto Service Technology program, which serves 40 students per year in day and evening classes. The program has a 90% job placement rate.

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 is graduates of the program with proficiency in the latest auto technology, especially regarding ADAS. Graduate placement rate should remain at or above its current level (90%) and should attract even more applicants to join the program. Local auto employers will be able to hire graduates that require little in-house training and can go right to work.

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?

Standard contract penalties are sufficient.

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



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Other (please specify)

d. First Name **Last Name**

e. E-mail Address

f. Phone Number

17. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number