



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 2881

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Construction of two-lanes of a future four-lane roadway extension of 51st Street West from 53rd Avenue West to El Conquistador that will include two general purpose lanes, street lighting, and bicycle/pedestrian facilities to tie together key corridors to enhance economic development and revitalization goals for the Southwest Districts of Manatee County.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted? Yes

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

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	10,000,000
Total State Funds Requested	10,000,000

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)	10,000,000	59%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	7,000,000	41%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2024-2025	17,000,000	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding? Yes

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		
2023-24	0	2,500,000	2042A	No

9. Is future funding likely to be requested? No

a. If yes, indicate nonrecurring amount per year.

b. Describe the source of funding that can be used in lieu of state funding.

Gas taxes, impact fees, debt proceeds, public-private partnerships

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

Yes

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



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Manatee County received \$70 million in CARES Act funding for costs incurred due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The funding is being disbursed to four primary groups in the community including residents, business owners, nonprofits, local government partner agencies, and community partners. Manatee County has been designated a recipient of \$78 million from the American Rescue Plan.

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?

5/1/2024

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

12/31/2025

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.

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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 use toward the construction costs related to the extension of 51st Street West that will include two general purpose lanes, street lighting, and bicycle/pedestrian facilities.	10,000,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		10,000,000

14. Program Performance

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

Construction of the first two lanes of the ultimate four-lane roadway extension of 51st Street West from 53rd Avenue West to El Conquistador Parkway. Support the County's economic development and revitalization goals for this area.

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



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Construction related activities for the two-lane roadway extension 51st Street West from 53rd Avenue West to El Conquistador Parkway.

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

Connection to employment centers, educational opportunities, tourism destinations, sports performance venues, and beach resorts.

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

General population. The project will serve all individuals who live and travel in and around the project area.

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

Multimodal connectivity to employment centers, educational opportunities, tourism destinations, sports performance venues, and beach resorts. Improved economic development, revitalization, and economic prosperity for the County's Southwest District.

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?

Dispersed funds for deliverables not met will be returned to the state.

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



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17. Lobbyist Contact Information

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