



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 2677

1. **Project Title**
2. **Senate Sponsor**
3. **Date of Request**

**4. Project/Program Description**

The City of Wilton Manors Stormwater Improvement Project will address storm-related flooding within low-lying areas of the City due to sea-level rise, high tides, and evermore occurring King Tide cycles. The City is surrounded by the North and South Forks of Middle River and utilizes a series of (87) existing City-owned storm drainpipes leading to outfalls at the rivers' edges. Outfall sizes range from 4" to 48" in diameter. Additional outfalls at bridge crossings are owned by FDOT (5 locations) and Broward County (6 locations). The stormwater improvements include the installation of in-line check valves to prevent high-tide waters from backing up into City rights-of-way to reduce or eliminate roadway flooding during blue-sky events. Phase I of this project plans for sixty-seven (67) outfall pipes, and this Phase II project plans for up to fifteen (15) outfall pipes.

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	800,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>800,000</b>

**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)	800,000	40%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	1,000,000	50%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	200,000	10%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2024-2025</b>	<b>2,000,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

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

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

9. **Is future funding likely to be requested?**  Yes
- a. **If yes, indicate nonrecurring amount per year.**

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

There is need for another round of funding to finish all the valves in the city. The city may include this project in its general fund budget and apply for other state or federal grants.



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

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

## 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.

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

Spending Category	Description	Amount
<b>Administrative Costs:</b>		
Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		0
Other Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
<b>Operational Costs: Other</b>		
Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
<b>Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:</b>		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Purchase and installation of stormwater outfall in-line check valves in various locations around the City.	800,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>800,000</b>

14. Program Performance

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



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The project will result in improved water quality, decreasing the risks of potentially contaminated waterway flooding, which could pose a public health threat. The project will also expand resiliency against increasing and extreme precipitation and sea-level rise by preventing Middle River water from flooding rights-of-way and properties. The structures proposed in the project will reduce wear and tear on stormwater, wastewater, and roadway infrastructure by reducing area flooding of these facilities.

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

The project includes providing and installing stormwater outfall pipe in-line check valves. The valves prevent the back flow of river water into the public rights-of-way in low-lying areas of the City due to high tide and King Tide events.

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

City residents, businesses and guests will be permitted full access to the city, unhindered by flooded roadways.

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

Residents, businesses and guests within the City of Wilton Manors.

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

The ultimate outcome will ensure public safety and protect property by adapting drainage facilities that are vulnerable to the increasing impacts of sea-level rise caused by changes in the climate. Once complete, the more effective and reliable stormwater system will ensure the overall benefit of the project.

**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 meet deliverables or performance measures may result in reduction or total loss of funding.

**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)



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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

**Please complete the questions below for Water Projects only.**

**18. Have you applied for alternative state funding?**

- Waste Water Revolving Loan
- Drinking Water Revolving Loan
- Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant
- Other (please specify)
- N/A

**19. What is the population economic status?**

- Financially Disadvantaged Community (ch. 62-552, F.A.C)
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- Rural Area of Economic Concern
- Rural Area of Opportunity (s. 288.0656, Florida Statutes)
- N/A

**20. What is the status of construction?**

**21. What percentage of the construction has been completed?**

**22. What is the estimated completion date of construction?**