



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2023-2024

LFIR # 1930

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

**4. Project/Program Description**

City of Valparaiso plans to design and construct stormwater improvements due to the deep 50+ feet gully that has eroded from decades of unimpeded stormwater drainage at the head of the site, as well as dumping of concrete and other rubbish into the ravine. Extensive demolition, removal and site work will be necessary to make the site suitable for construction of the repaired stormwater piping, energy dissipator structures, biowswales and a multi-use path. The project will provide necessary stormwater management and infrastructure to

- Repair extensive damage due to erosion, as well as mitigate any further damage.
- Reduce amount of stormwater runoff flowing directly into local waterways.
- Retain, detain, absorb, filter, and clean stormwater runoff before entry into local waterways.
- Provide a multi-use outdoor recreational pathway for use by the public.
- Provide access to currently unused park area and connect two underutilized City Parks

5. **State Agency to receive requested funds**
- State Agency contacted?**

**6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2023-2024**

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	2,500,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>2,500,000</b>

**7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 (including matching funds available for this project)**

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	2,500,000	100%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	0	0%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2023-2024</b>	<b>2,500,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

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.**
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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

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	Design and construction of the new stormwater improvements to include new stormwater piping, energy dissipator structures, biowswales and a multi-use pathway.	2,500,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>2,500,000</b>

14. Program Performance

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



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- Reduce amount of stormwater runoff flowing directly into local waterways.
- Retain, detain, absorb, filter, and clean stormwater runoff before entry into local waterways.
- Construct multi-use outdoor recreational pathway for use by citizens

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

The funds will be used for the design and construction of the new stormwater improvements to include new stormwater piping, energy dissipator structures, biowswales and a multi-use pathway.

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

Reduce erosion in nearby areas and reduce silt transportation to improve water quality in the local downstream waterways. including Bayous on Choctawhatchee Bay.

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

All population of in the City of Valparaiso as well as public access to all citizens of Okaloosa County

**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 the construction of the stormwater improvements and multi-use pathway to better serve and protect the general public health. The outcome will be measured by the following:

- Reduction of stormwater runoff flowing directly into local waterways;
- Changes in ambient water quality
- Quantity of citizens using green space and multi-use pathway
- Increase value of nearby properties

**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?**

There are no suggested penalties for failing to meet deliverable or performance measures.

**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



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University or College

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

### 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)
- Financially Disadvantaged Municipality (ch. 62-552, F.A.C)
- 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?



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12/31/2025