



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 1630

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Using City-owned land occupied by outdated recreation facilities, funding would be used for design and construction of a new 20,000 sq ft facility including two classrooms, an activity space, a multipurpose banquet area seating 300 supported by an instructional/serving-sized kitchen, two offices, and a lobby area. The facility would be equipped with storage areas, an outside classroom amphitheater, a tranquility garden, and more.

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	14,000,000
Total State Funds Requested	14,000,000

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)	14,000,000	93%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	1,000,000	7%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2024-2025	15,000,000	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?

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



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CARES Act - \$6,000,000 - through Hillsborough County for building, safety, and technology improvements.
 ARPA - \$19,900,000 - for governmental and enterprise fund infrastructure improvements.

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.

The City of Plant City is the property owner, the project owner, and the final facility owner.

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	Design, permitting, construction, and facility amenities	14,000,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		14,000,000

14. Program Performance

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

A new multi-purpose recreation facility, home to a variety of youth, adult, and senior recreational activities, as well as classes, meeting space, and events, all open to the community. This project will create an ADA accessible facility and provide services and activities to all residents and visitors regardless of their socio-economic background. The growth of our City has increased the need for such a facility.

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



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The new multi-purpose recreation facility would be home to a variety of youth, adult, and senior recreational activities, as well as classes, meeting space, and events, open to all residents and visitors regardless of their residency or socio-economic background.

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

The new multi-purpose recreation facility would be home to a variety of youth, adult, and senior recreational activities, as well as classes, meeting space, and events, open to all residents and visitors regardless of their residency or socio-economic background.

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

This project will provide a recreational facility to be used by residents and visitors of all ages and socio-economic backgrounds. It will be accessible by our 43,000 residents and additional visitors to our city.

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

An expansion of recreational opportunities for residents and visitors can be measured by an increase in the number of programs and the number of persons utilizing the City's overall recreation facilities.

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?

If the City fails to complete the proposed project, the City would reimburse any appropriations funds received for the project.

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) municipal government

d. First Name Last Name

e. E-mail Address



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f. Phone Number

17. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number