



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 2570

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

**4. Project/Program Description**

After a 10-year delay, the City of Fort Pierce is seeking funding to complete the revitalization of a portion of North 13th Street. This aging 2.71-mile multi-modal roadway, classified by the Federal Highway Administration as an Urban Major Collector, runs through the center of Fort Pierce. Phase 1 is completed and the design plans for Phase 2 are 60% finished. Improvements to this .5 mile-mile segment of roadway. Include drainage replacement, roadway and sidewalk reconstruction, signage replacement, signalization, and street lighting to provide increased safety and capacity for vehicular, pedestrian, and bicycle traffic. The final plans and specifications are scheduled to be finished in April 2024. The work will begin September 2024 and finished in September 2025. The needs of the community and the potential benefits of the project emphasize the importance of this project to the City's future job growth and economic development.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds
- State Agency contacted?  No

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

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	2,000,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>2,000,000</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)	2,000,000	35%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	3,793,220	65%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2024-2025</b>	<b>5,793,220</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?  No
- 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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Yes

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

The City received \$603,429 in CDBG. It was used for COVID testing, vaccines, food insecurity, business disaster recovery, workforce development targeting seniors and youth, vaccine outreach, and eviction prevention.

## 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.

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### 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	Phase 2 of a multi-modal roadway revitalization, classified by the Federal Highway Administration as an Urban Major Collector, to provide increased safety and capacity for vehicular, pedestrian, and bicycle traffic along a 0.5-mile stretch. The improvements include drainage replacement, roadway and sidewalk reconstruction, and street lighting. A major component of this project is piping and covering a canal that runs parallel to the roadway and near three schools.	2,000,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>2,000,000</b>



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**14. Program Performance**

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

Completion of Phase 2 of a multi-modal roadway revitalization, classified by the Federal Highway Administration as an Urban Major Collector, to provide increased safety and capacity for vehicular, pedestrian, and bicycle traffic along a 0.5-mile stretch.

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

Major revitalization of a highly utilized north-south arterial which runs through the center of Fort Pierce and will improve the safety and security of pedestrians, bicyclists and motorists traveling the roadway.

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

The direct services will include improved pavement, sidewalk, drainage, lighting, landscaping, and intersection improvements.

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

North 13th Street serves as a major north-south arterial through the center of Fort Pierce traversing through economically-disadvantaged neighborhoods frequently used by members of our senior population, at-risk youth, grade-school students, and visitors.

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

The reduced flooding of the roadway and the improved welfare, safety, and security of our citizens and visitors, who use this roadway for pedestrian, bicycle, or vehicular travel. This outcome will be measured by the monitoring the amount of citizen comments or complaints received after the project is completed.

**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?**

Reimbursement would not be provided if the City of Fort Pierce fails to meet deliverables.

**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**