



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 1353

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The primary objective of this training center is to provide comprehensive and advanced training programs that include active assailant training, defensive tactics, de-escalation practices, low-light firearm scenarios, weapons retention, close-quarter tactics, and tactics to safely clear structures.

The training center would serve as a hub for continuous learning, promoting best practices, and creating an environment of collaboration among the various law enforcement agencies. These collaborative efforts will include joint training exercises and knowledge sharing to enhance overall public safety and foster positive community relations for our entire region

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	8,000,000
Total State Funds Requested	8,000,000

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)	8,000,000	89%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	1,000,000	11%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2024-2025	9,000,000	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?



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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
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	Construction of the facility.	8,000,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		8,000,000

14. Program Performance

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

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



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The primary activities and services will focus on enhancing the level of training for local law enforcement agencies. The training activities would include de-escalation techniques, responding to people in crisis, defensive tactics and firearm training.

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

The direct services provided to the citizens will be better trained and equipped officers assisting citizens who are in need of law enforcement services.

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

The target population for this project are residents throughout Lake County as well as the Town of Oakland, City of Winter Garden, City of Windermere, and the City of Ocoee. This project has the potential to serve over 500,000 residents.

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 a better trained and more confident law enforcement officer providing a higher level of service to the citizens they serve. The methodology by which this outcome will be measured will be the number of training courses and number of officers who avail themselves to those courses.

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?

Liquidated damages.

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**



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f. Phone Number

17. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number