



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2019-2020

LFIR#: 2227

1. Title of Project: Digital License Plate Pilot Project

2. Senate Sponsor: Ben Albritton

3. Date of Submission: 03/01/2019

4. Project/Program Description:

Pilot project at the Department of Highway and Safety and Motor Vehicles to use digital license plates to track vehicles and drivers.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds : Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles

State Agency Contacted? No

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2019-2020

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	250,000
Fixed Capital Outlay	
Total State Funds Requested	250,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2019-2020 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percent
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	250,000	100.00%
Federal	0	0.00%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0.00%
Local	0	0.00%
Other	0	0.00%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2019-2020	250,000	100.0%

8. Has this project previously received state funding? No

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

9. Is future-year funding likely to be requested? No

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

Spending Category	Description	Amount
Administrative Costs:		
Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		
Other Salary and Benefits		
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		



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Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		
Operational Costs:		
Salary and Benefits		
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other	Up to 1,000 digital license plates will be provided to the department to track intergovernmental transfers, location of state owned vehicles, and track independent drivers using the plate technology.	250,000
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		250,000

11. Program Performance:

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

To show that digital license plates are less confusing and make it easier to track vehicles and employees. The long term goal is to save taxpayer funds through time management.

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

Training for agency staff on how to install, use, and track digital plates

c. What are the direct services to be provided to citizens by the appropriations project?

Better time management by both agency administrative staff and staff in the field using those vehicles with the digital plates. Eventual cost saving to tax payers.

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

State owned vehicles and state employees. Up to 1000 vehicles, depending on the department's vehicle selection.

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

Better tracking of state vehicles and state employees. Each plate has GPS tracking function as well as two specific groupings of numbers on the plate. One number is assigned to the driver and another number is assigned to the agency/vehicle type/vehicle purposes.

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 in the contract?

Cancellation of contract and funds returned.

12. The owner(s) of the facility to receive, directly or indirectly, any fixed capital outlay funding. Include the relationship between the owner(s) of the facility and the entity.

NA



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 - Non Profit 501(c) (3)
 - Non Profit 501(c) (4)
 - Local Entity
 - University or College
 - Other (Please specify)
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