



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2022-2023

LFIR # 1052

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Support the environmentally proud character of the City of Parkland by ensuring the nature preserves within the City, on State-owned land, and along the Everglades are maintained at less than 5% exotic plant species. Many of these sites border water conservation areas, including land owned by the Girl Scouts of SE Florida. This will stop the spread of these invasive species, allow native plants to thrive, and support the Everglades restoration efforts.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2022-2023

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	150,000
Fixed Capital Outlay	0
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>150,000</b>

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	150,000	50%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	150,000	50%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2022-2023</b>	<b>300,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		
2020-21	0	100,000	2123	Yes

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.

Once a large-scale clearing of the invasive plants is accomplished, regular upkeep and maintenance can be accomplished using operating funds.

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.

ARPA State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds for a Non-Entitlement Unit totaling \$17.1 million have been allocated but not yet received.

**11. 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	contract with plant removal specialist to systematically cut, clear, and treat prohibited exotic invasive plant species, including removal and disposal of the debris	150,000
<b>Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:</b>		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		0
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>150,000</b>

**12. Program Performance**

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

This project will help meet the City of Parkland's goal to keep all City parks and preserves at less than 10% invasives.

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

Physical plant identification will be conducted to measure the level of exotics.

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

No direct services will be provided but the existing Parks and Recreation services will be preserved and enhanced.

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

The target population served by this project are the residents of northwest Broward County and Southwest Palm Beach County.

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

This project will stop the spread of these invasive species, allow native plants to thrive, and support the Everglades restoration efforts in our area. Actual physical plant identification will be used to determine the level of exotics in sensitive areas.

**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?**

Funding not released until deliverables are met.



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13. 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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#### 14. Requestor Contact Information

a. First Name  Last Name   
b. Organization   
c. E-mail Address   
d. Phone Number  Ext.

#### 15. 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   
f. Phone Number

#### 16. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name   
b. Firm Name   
c. E-mail Address   
d. Phone Number