



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2022-2023

LFIR # 1327

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Installation of a new storm-water drainage system to prevent storm-water ponding and flooding. The project will also allow the Village to add new drainage throughout the ball-field which constantly floods and has standing water. There is also water runoff onto the neighboring properties.

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	915,000
Fixed Capital Outlay	0
Total State Funds Requested	915,000

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)	915,000	96%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	35,000	4%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2022-2023	950,000	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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11. Details on how the requested state funds will be expended

Spending Category	Description	Amount
Administrative Costs:		
Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits	n/a	0
Other Salary and Benefits	n/a	0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other	n/a	0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study	n/a	0
Operational Costs: Other		
Salary and Benefits	n/a	0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other	n/a	0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study	n/a	0
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Address the safety and flooding issues at the Recreation Complex. Funding is requested to address the flooding issues and replace the turf field.	915,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		915,000

12. Program Performance

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

Address the safety and flooding issues at the Recreation Complex of the Village.

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

The improvements will permit the ability to collect the storm-water and reduce the flooding at the Recreation Complex and surrounding properties.

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

Eliminate flooding and the cancellation of youth activities.

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

The residents of the Village of Virginia Gardens/Miami Springs. 1000 annually.

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

The improvements will permit the ability to retain storm-water run off in the new storm water system prevention flooding. Engineering SWMP.

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?

A performance bond will be required.

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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The recipient of the funding will be the municipal government of the Village of Virginia Gardens. Essentially, the taxpayers own this government complex.



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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



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Please complete the questions below for Water Projects only.

17. Have you applied for alternative state funding?

- Waste Water Revolving Loan
- Drinking Water Revolving Loan
- Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant
- Other (please specify)
- N/A

18. What is the population economic status?

- Financially Disadvantaged Community (ch. 62-552, F.A.C)
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- Rural Area of Economic Concern
- Rural Area of Opportunity (s. 288.0656, Florida Statutes)
- N/A

19. What is the status of construction?

Not ready.

20. What percentage of the construction has been completed?

0%

21. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

03/01/2023