



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2022-2023

LFIR # 1431

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Tampa Police Department (TPD) combats the emerging threats and tactics of terrorist organizations, including bomb threats, in municipalities across Hillsborough, Pinellas, Pasco, Polk and Hernando counties. This funding will assist in the purchase of needed equipment that will enhance the response capabilities of the bomb squad related to special events, mass gathering events, active shooter events, and Chemical Biological Radiological Nuclear Explosive (CBRNE) events.

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	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	200,000
Total State Funds Requested	200,000

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)	200,000	50%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	200,000	50%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2022-2023	400,000	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		
2020-21	0	250,000	1261	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.

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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\$90.47 million in ARPA, CARES, HUD, JAG and HUD rental assistance that was used for small business assistance programs, housing and rental assistance programs, revenue recovery, testing, vaccine distribution, public safety overtime, and similar activities.

11. 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	Replacement of a 20+ year-old bomb squad response vehicle fitted with new equipment to respond to Chemical Biological Radiological Nuclear Explosive (CBRNE) events.	200,000
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		0
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		200,000

12. Program Performance

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

This funding will assist in the purchase of needed equipment that will enhance the response capabilities of the bomb squad related to special events, mass gathering events, active shooter events, and Chemical Biological Radiological Nuclear Explosive (CBRNE) events.

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

This equipment will be used in most, if not all, of the Tampa Police Department Bomb Squad's responses. The Tampa Police Department Bomb Squad provides public safety bomb sweeps and operational stand-by for special events and mass gatherings, suspicious and unattended package response, responds to and conducts render-safe procedures for criminal and terrorist incidents.

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

The Tampa Police Department Bomb Squad provides public safety bomb sweeps and operational stand-by for special events and mass gatherings, suspicious and unattended package response, responds to and conducts render-safe procedures for criminal and terrorist incidents involving hoax and real Improvised Explosive Devices (IED's) and CBRNE situations.

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

Serves general population in municipalities in Hillsborough, Pinellas, Pasco, Polk and Hernando counties.

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

Reduced threats and/or incidents involving chemical, biological, nuclear and explosive incidents- protecting the life and safety of residents across the multi-county region. Metrics including the number of incidents that are responded to using this equipment.



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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?

Standard contractual penalties.

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.

The facilities are owned by the City of Tampa.



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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