



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2022-2023

LFIR # 1863

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

This project is a critical step in providing a reliable source of clean drinking water to an economically depressed area. Water quality is not currently assured to persons outside of the community water system who depend on private wells for water supply. Historical amounts of rainfall has exacerbated the situation putting families at risk of ingesting disease-causing organisms that may make their water unsafe to drink. These funds if received will provide availability of safe drinking water.

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	2,500,000
Total State Funds Requested	2,500,000

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)	2,500,000	71%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	1,000,000	29%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2022-2023	3,500,000	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.

CARES ACT- \$600,000 Economic Development and Recovery
 \$250,000 Fire and Public Safety

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		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Engineering, Design and construction of the utility expansion.	2,500,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		2,500,000

12. Program Performance

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

The requested funds will be utilized to expand the existing public water supply into an economically depressed area, providing a much needed reliable source of safe drinking water. This project will eliminate the need for construction of individual privately owned wells in this area reducing the cost to obtain safe drinking water and further protecting the environment by reducing potential contamination of the aquifer.

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

Public water supply will be expanded to service areas located outside of current infrastructure.

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

Citizens located within this area will be provided public water, which offers a reliable source of safe drinking water.

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 those citizens currently located outside of the public water distribution system. This economically depressed area currently is serviced by private wells which provide an unreliable source of safe drinking water. It is expected greater than 800 individuals will be directly served by this project. This project is also expected to generate future growth in this area leading to job creation.

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

By converting existing properties that utilize a private drinking water well to public water supply we can assure the highest quality drinking water is provided. Other expected benefits include improvement of transportation conditions, job creation and increased protection of the environment.

f. What are the suggested penalties that the contracting agency may consider in addition to its standard penalties



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for failing to meet deliverables or performance measures provided for the contract?

Any monies received from the State would be returned in like amounts for either percentage incomplete or in totality for project not commencing.

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 City of Inverness would be the perpetual owner and operator of the facility.



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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 started.

20. What percentage of the construction has been completed?

0%

21. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

12/31/2023