



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2023-2024

LFIR # 2566

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

To design a replacement bridge on E. Periwinkle Way that will be resilient from future storm surge and flooding. The East Periwinkle Bridge approaches were washed out by Hurricane Ian rendering the road inaccessible for 2 months. The Florida DOT completed temporary repairs to the bridge which reopened in December 2022. The FDOT and the city's engineer have advised that the bridge needs to be replaced with a resilient bridge that can safely accommodate multimodal transportation.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2023-2024

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	750,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>750,000</b>

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	750,000	100%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	0	0%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2023-2024</b>	<b>750,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

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.

During the design process, the city will work to identify federal funding sources for the bridge replacement that would reduce any request for state funding. The \$5 million budget for nonrecurring funds would be for 1-year and is the current estimated replacement cost.

10. Has the entity requesting this project received any federal assistance related to the COVID-19 pandemic?



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Yes

If yes, indicate the amount of funds received and what the funds were used for.

CARES Act funding - \$440,081. Funds were used for COVID testing for city employees, purchase of personal protective equipment, workspace protective barriers, legal services, and payroll related to managing the pandemic.

## Complete questions 11 and 12 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects

### 11. Status of Construction

a. What is the current phase of the project?

☒ Planning ☐ Design ☐ Construction

b. Is the project "shovel ready" (i.e permitted)?

No

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

2025

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

2026

12. List 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 Sanibel owns the bridge.

### 13. 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		0
<b>Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:</b>		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Design and engineering to replace the East Periwinkle Bridge that was heavily damaged by Hurricane Ian.	750,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>750,000</b>

### 14. Program Performance

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

Design and eventual construction of a resilient bridge capable of withstanding future storm surge/flooding, that can safely carry the current and future multimodal traffic volumes.



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

Delivery of construction drawings and specifications for a new E. Periwinkle Bridge.

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

E. Periwinkle is an arterial road in Sanibel that provides primary connectivity for multimodal transportation to eastern Sanibel. It is also the primary access road to businesses located on E. Periwinkle Way, popular beaches visited by residents and tourists, and single/multifamily residential properties. The redesign of the bridge will ensure the bridge is resilient and has carrying capacity.

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

The target population is the general public who utilize the bridge to access residential properties, businesses, and popular beach access areas. Over 100,000 individuals per year.

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

The design and specifications are necessary to refine construction cost estimates and to submit funding requests for the bridge's replacement. Measurement will be the delivery of construction drawings and specifications for a new E. Periwinkle Bridge.

**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?**

Ineligible for future transportation project funding for a 3-year period.

**15. Requester Contact Information**

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

**16. 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**



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e. E-mail Address

f. Phone Number

#### 17. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number