



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2023-2024

LFIR # 2900

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The City is requesting \$400,000 to support the Highland Village Drainage Project, to alleviate the impacts of high tide on the stormwater management system within the Highland Village neighborhood. Currently, during high tide, water from the Biscayne Bay is able to enter the stormwater system in an uninterrupted manner, which results in backflows which surface through existing catch basins and results in flooding of roadways and adjacent areas.

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	400,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>400,000</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)	400,000	50%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	400,000	50%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2023-2024</b>	<b>800,000</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.

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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The City of North Miami Beach received a total of \$21,557,242 under the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). Currently, the City has not spent all the funds; however, the ARPA dollars have been used and allocated for Capital Improvement projects, community services, operations maintenance, and IT infrastructure.

## 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)?

Yes

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

April, 2023

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

January, 2024

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.

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### 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	During high tide, water from the Biscayne Bay is able to enter the stormwater system in an uninterrupted manner, which results in backflows which surface through existing catch basins and results in flooding of roadways and adjacent areas. By installing backflow preventers at or near the existing outfalls, water from Biscayne Bay would no longer be able to backflow through the stormwater system through said outfalls.	400,000
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>400,000</b>

### 14. Program Performance

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



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The City of North Miami Beach is actively conducting an overhaul of water related infrastructure. Monthly public meetings are held to discuss construction projects and strategies to reduce flooding and protect water resources. North Miami Beach and its community partners prioritized this project to reduce trash, tree leaves, waste, clippings, and other debris from entering the drainage system.

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

Currently, during high tide, water from the Biscayne Bay is able to enter the stormwater system in an uninterrupted manner, which results in backflows which surface through existing catch basins and results in flooding of roadways and adjacent areas. By installing backflow preventers at or near the existing outfalls, water from Biscayne Bay would no longer be able to backflow through the stormwater system through said outfalls.

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

Reduced flooding and channeled runoff, and a reduction in contamination of the storm water drainage system and into the environmentally sensitive areas.

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

All North Miami Beach residents, approximately over 42,000 individuals.

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

These improvements will attenuate flooding due to high tides, and will work best when combined with a full scale level of improvements to the supporting stormwater management infrastructure. Increase the capacity and flow of storm water through the City's storm water treatment train. We have documentation that justifies this work and more importantly the criticality of the same.

**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?**

Reimbursement of funds to the state

**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



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- University or College
- Other (please specify)

d. First Name  Last Name

e. E-mail Address

f. Phone Number

**17. Lobbyist Contact Information**

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number

**Please complete the questions below for Water Projects only.**

**18. 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

**19. What is the population economic status?**

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

**20. What is the status of construction?**

**21. What percentage of the construction has been completed?**

**22. What is the estimated completion date of construction?**



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