



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2025-2026

LFIR # 1946

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

The project would supplement Coral Gables' funding for road safety initiatives and install traffic safety countermeasures within a heavily trafficked commercial and residential area adjacent to State Road US-1. The project includes the construction and installation of speed tables and cushions, feedback signs, and intersection improvements. The City has committed to eliminating roadway fatalities and serious injuries by working with Florida and Miami-Dade County stakeholders to address issues on State and County owned roads, and through locally funded projects focused on citywide impacts.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2025-2026

Type of Funding	Amount
Operating	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	375,000
Total State Funds Requested	375,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	375,000	50%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	375,000	50%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2025-2026	750,000	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

If yes, provide the most recent instance:

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		

9. Is future-year 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.



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Complete questions 10 and 11 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects

10. Status of Construction

a. What is the current phase of the project?

- Planning
 Design
 Construction
 N/A

b. Is the project "shovel ready" (i.e permitted)? No

c. What is the estimated start date of construction? 10/01/2025

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction? 10/01/2026

e. What funding stream will be used for ongoing operations and maintenance of the project?

The City's Capital Projects Funds.

11. 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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12. 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		
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	Construction of speed tables and cushions, intersection improvements, and the installation of speed feedback signs.	375,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		375,000

13. Program Performance

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

The purpose of the project is to create safer roads and improve pedestrian safety within the project area and citywide, by installing traffic calming devices that reduce vehicle speeds and curb dangerous driving behaviors.

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

The services the project will provide are the design, engineering, and installation of traffic calming devices.



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

Citizens shall benefit from the impact that traffic calming devices have on vehicle movement, resulting in lowered driving speeds and safer roads for all users.

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

Residents and visitors of the commercial and residential area directly south of Stare Road US-1 are the target populations. This population is difficult to estimate due to the pass-through nature of the area, yet the residential population is approximately 10,000.

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

The project's benefits are listed in subsection c. City staff shall compile and analyze crash reports and shield data to weigh the effectiveness of the project.

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 in the contract?

The contracting agency may withhold project funds for non performance by the city.

14. Is this project related to mitigation, response, or recovery from a natural disaster?

a. If Yes, what phase best describes the project?

- Mitigation (reducing or eliminating potential loss of life or property)
- Response (addressing the immediate and short-term effects of a natural disaster)
- Recovery (assisting communities return to normal operations, including rebuilding damaged infrastructure)

b. Name of the natural disaster (or Executive Order # for events not under a federal declaration):

15. Has the entity applied for or received federal assistance for this project?

- Yes, Applied
- Yes, Received
- No
- No, but intends to apply

a. If yes, provide the FEMA project worksheet ID#:

b. Provide the total project cost listed on the FEMA project worksheet:

16. Has the entity applied for or received state assistance for this project (other than this request)?

- Yes, Applied
- Yes, Received



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No

No, but intends to apply

a. If yes, specify the program and state agency (ex. Local Government Emergency Bridge Loan, Department of Commerce):

17. Requester Contact Information

a. First Name **Last Name**

b. Organization

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number **Ext.**

18. 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 **Ext.**

19. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number



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