

1. Project Title

The Florida Senate Local Funding Initiative Request Fiscal Year 2025-2026

Riviera Beach Intracoastal Waterway Pipe Crossings Replacement

LFIR # 2778

2. Senate Sponsor	Mack Bernard			
3. Date of Request	3/3/2025			
4. Project/Program D	Description			
pipe breaks, and comainland. It is nece environmental dam potable water main Palm Beach Shore	ng sanitary forcemain that crosses onveys all of the wastewater collectessary to design the pipe replacementage if sewage were to continue to that crosses the Intracoastal Waters. It is necessary to design the piped result in loss of adequate service	ted on Singer Island and the ent as failure of this pipeling be released into the pristing way that provides drinking replacement as a failure of the control of the contro	ne Town of Palm Be ne would result in los ne waterway. Also, re g water to Singer Isl of this water main, w	ach Shores to the ss of service and eplace the existing and and the Town of which was constructed
5. State Agency to re	eceive requested funds Dep	partment of Environmental	Protection	
State Agency cont	tacted? Yes			
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6. Amount of the Nor	nrecurring Request for Fiscal Year	ar 2025-2026		
Type of Funding		Amo	unt	
Operating			0	
Fixed Capital Outla	ıy		487,165	
Total State Funds	Requested		487,165	
7. Total Project Cost	for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 (include	ding matching funds ava	ilable for this proje	ect)
Type of Funding		Amount	Percentage	
Total State Funds F	Requested (from question #6)	487,165	50%	
Matching Funds				
Federal		0	0%	
,	e amount of this request)	0	0%	
Local		0	0%	
Other		487,165	50%	
Total Project Cost	ts for Fiscal Year 2025-2026	974,330	100%	
	reviously received state funding most recent instance:	? No		
Fiscal Year	Amount	Specific 4	Vetoed	
(уууу-уу)	Recurring Nonrecurri	ng Appropriation #		
9. Is future-year fund	ding likely to be requested?	No		
a. If yes, indicate	nonrecurring amount per year.			
b. Describe the so	ource of funding that can be used	d 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	e project?			
Planning • Design	Construction	O N/A		
b. Is the project "shovel ready" (i.	e permitted)?		No	
c. What is the estimated start date	of construction?		1/30/2026	
d. What is the estimated completion	on date of construct	tion?	1/30/2027	
e. What funding stream will be us	ed for ongoing oper	ations a	nd maintenance o	of the project?
City of Riviera Beach General Fun	ds.			
11. List the owners of the facility to relationship between the owners				l outlay funding. Include th
The facility owner is the City of Riv	viera Beach Utility Sp	ecial Dis	trict.	

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	Design and replacement of the existing sanitary force main as well as the potable water main.	487,165		
Total State Funds Requested (m	ust equal total from question #6)	487,165		

13. Program Performance

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



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Replace the existing sanitary forcemain that crosses the Intracoastal Waterway, that is old failing forcemain that had four pipe breaks and conveys all of the wastewater collected on Singer Island and the Town of Palm Beach Shores to the mainland. It is necessary to design the pipe replacement as failure of this pipeline would result in loss of service and environmental damage if sewage were to continue to be released into the pristine waterway. Also, replace the existing potable water main that crosses the Intracoastal Waterway that provides drinking water to Singer Island and the Town of Palm Beach Shores. It is necessary to design the pipe replacement as a failure of this water main, which was constructed in the 1950s, would result in loss of adequate service of drinking water and fire protection to citizens and businesses.

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

Activities include designing replacements for a failing sanitary forcemain and an old potable water main crossing the Intracoastal Waterway. These upgrades will ensure reliable wastewater transport, safe drinking water, and fire protection services for Singer Island and Palm Beach Shores, safeguarding public health and safety.

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

The funding will ensure reliable wastewater transport, safe drinking water, and fire protection for Singer Island and Palm Beach Shores by replacing failing sanitary and potable water mains crossing the Intracoastal Waterway. This enhances public health, safety, and essential infrastructure services for residents and businesses.

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

City of Riviera Beach and surrounding communities. Individuals served is estimated to be over 40,000.

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

Reliable wastewater transport, safe drinking water, and fire protection for Riviera Beach, Singer Island and Palm Beach Shores. Measurements will include water samples and other health assessments.

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?

Withholding of funds from allocating department.
Is this project related to mitigation, response, or recovery from a natural disaster?

14.	. Is t	his project related to mitigation, response, or recovery from a natural disaster? No
	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 infastructure)
	b. N	ame of the natural disaster (or Executive Order # for events not under a federal declaration):
15.	. Has	s the entity applied for or received federal assistance for this project?
		Yes, Applied
		Yes, Received
	□ 1	No

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

□ No, but intends to apply



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b.	Provide the total project cost listed on the FEMA project worksheet:	
16. H	as the entity applied for or received state assistance for this project (other than this reque	est)?
	I Yes, Applied	
	I Yes, Received	
	l No	
	No, but intends to apply	
a. Co	If yes, specify the program and state agency (ex. Local Government Emergency Bridge Lo ommerce):	an, Department of
Plea	ase complete questions 17 through 21 for Water Projects only.	
17. Ha	ave you been awarded or applied for alternative state funding for this project?	
[□ Water Quality Improvement Grant Program	
[□ Resilient Florida Grant Program	
[□ Wastewater Revolving Loan	
[□ Drinking Water Revolving Loan	
[☐ Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant	
[☐ Other (please specify, ex. Alternative Water Supply Grants)	
[☑ N/A	
18. W	hat 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	
19. W	hat is the status of construction?	
	Design	

20. What percentage of the construction has been completed?



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. What is the estima	ated completion date of co	onstruction?	01/30/202	7
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c. Organization Ty	pe			
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□Non Profit 501(d				
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□Non Profit 501(d	c)(4)			
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