



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2025-2026

LFIR # 3042

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

This project's proposed 92 tidal check valves will be installed in City stormwater outfall pipes to reduce tidal flooding throughout the City during sunny day events. During tidal flooding events, sea water enters the storm drainage system and backs up into the roadways throughout the City. Flooded roads negatively impact quality of life, damage vehicles, and leads to home flooding. Repeatedly submerged roads also reduces their life, causing costly repairs.

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	82,650
Fixed Capital Outlay	660,408
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>743,058</b>

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)	743,058	75%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	248,000	25%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2025-2026</b>	<b>991,058</b>	<b>100%</b>

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.

**Complete questions 10 and 11 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects**



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**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)?** Yes

**c. What is the estimated start date of construction?** 09/01/2025

**d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?** 12/31/2025

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

The City's Stormwater Assessment fund will be used for ongoing operations and maintenance of the tide check valves.

**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.**

City of Holmes Beach

**12. 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	Project management, project oversight, periodic inspections, and contract management	41,325
Other Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study	Engineering Services during construction	41,325
<b>Operational Costs</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	Tidal check valve equipment and hardware costs. Contractor installation costs.	660,408
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>743,058</b>

**13. Program Performance**

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

The purpose of this project's proposed 92 tidal check valves for city stormwater outfall pipes, would be to reduce tidal flooding during high tide events. Temporary flooding as a result of high tide events impacts the entire City.

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



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

Reducing tidal flooding reduces impacts to homeowners and lessens private property damage. It improves quality of life for safer mobility. Vehicles, cyclists, and pedestrians can move without risk of life and fear of damage to vehicles. Longer infrastructure life with less roadway repairs requiring lane and road closures means tax dollars can be spent elsewhere.

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

During tidal flooding events, sea water backs up into roadways throughout the City. Flooded roads negatively impacts quality of life, damages vehicles, and leads to home flooding. The entire population of about 3,000 full time residents and the approximately 30,000 average peak season daily travelers on the island would benefit to reduced flooding on city roads.

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

Number of times street flooding occurs during high tide events is expected to be reduced. A tally chart or excel spreadsheet documenting observations of flooding occurrences will be the measurement method.

**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?**

Additional actions could include requiring corrective action plans, increasing oversight, or modifying contract terms.

**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):**

Hurricane Milton

**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:**



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

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

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

**Please complete questions 17 through 21 for Water Projects only.**

**17. Have 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. 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

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

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

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



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#### 22. Requester Contact Information

a. First Name  Last Name

b. Organization

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number  Ext.

#### 23. 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.

#### 24. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name

b. Firm Name

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number

*The information provided will be posted to the Florida Senate website for public viewing if sponsored by a Senator.*