



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2025-2026

LFIR # 3200

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Lauderhill police reports show shooting incidents where evidence was collected: 2022 -201 incidents; 2023 - 180 incidents; 2024- 141 incidents. Shot-Spotter technology helps reduce gun violence by providing officers with real-time gunfire intelligence through strategically placed acoustic sensors. It delivers on-demand reports detailing the approximate location, time, and sequence of gunfire incidents. This information aids in locating shell casings and other evidence before tampering, as well as gathering witness accounts to identify suspects. A detailed Forensic Report is provided as required and is court admissible for verified timing or to obtain search warrants.

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	405,000
Fixed Capital Outlay	0
Total State Funds Requested	405,000

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)	405,000	67%
Matching Funds		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	202,500	33%
Other	0	0%
Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2025-2026	607,500	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		
2022-23	0	356,000	1248	No

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)?

c. What is the estimated start date of construction?

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

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

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.

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	ShotSpotter uses specialized sensors and web-based software to detect and report gunfire. Sensors capture gunshot frequencies and transmit real-time data. The software alerts officers with shot count and precise location and compiles data for analysis and reporting. Includes cost of annual service renewal.	405,000
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		0
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		405,000

13. Program Performance

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



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

Reporting of shots fired, to curb violent crime.

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

To enhance public safety by improving emergency response times, leading to a more secure environment for visitors.

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

City of Lauderhill at large.

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

Reduction in gun relate crimes and violence. Measurement of the frequency of shootings within the City by way of the shot spotter generated reports and local Police Department crime stats. The data will enable analysis of statistics before and after installation, and tracking incident response time.

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?

- Mandating corrective actions with strict deadlines to resolve deficiencies. Reducing future contract payments if service levels or quality metrics are not met.
- Withholding a percentage of payment or imposing liquidated damages for delays or non-compliance.

14. Is this 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 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:



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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):

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



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c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number

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