



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2026-2027

LFIR # 3000

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2026-2027

| Type of Funding | Amount |
|------------------------------------|------------------|
| Operating | 0 |
| Fixed Capital Outlay | 3,800,000 |
| Total State Funds Requested | 3,800,000 |

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2026-2027 (including matching funds available for this project)

| Type of Funding | Amount | Percentage |
|--|------------------|-------------|
| Total State Funds Requested (from question #6) | 3,800,000 | 100% |
| Matching Funds | | |
| Federal | 0 | 0% |
| State (excluding the amount of this request) | 0 | 0% |
| Local | 0 | 0% |
| Other | 0 | 0% |
| Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2026-2027 | 3,800,000 | 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.

Complete questions 10 and 11 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects

10. Status of Construction



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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?

08/03/2026

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

11/30/2026

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

County Road Department Budget.

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.

Bradford County.

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 costs to replace a single lane concrete bridge that has limited weight capacity with a two lane FDOT compliant bridge structure. | 3,800,000 |
| Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6) | | 3,800,000 |

13. Program Performance

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

The goal is to replace a single lane concrete bridge that has limited weight capacity with a two lane FDOT compliant bridge structure.

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

Upon completion of the project, vehicles that previously could not cross the bridge structure safely (i.e. fire apparatus, delivery vehicles, construction vehicles et al) will now pass safely to and from the Bradford Sportsman Farm. Non-commercial traffic will also travel more safely with the two lane bridge rather than the current one lane bridge.

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



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Please see 13b.

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

The target population are sportsmen that utilize the sporting clay facility for recreation, fund raising tournaments and professional clay shooting events. The facility also hosts other service club events such as the Rotary Beast Feast fundraiser. The facility is also widely used by gun enthusiasts for target practice at the various gun ranges located at the facility. The Bradford County Sheriff's Office SWAT team also utilizes the facility for its recurring training. The annual number of trips across the bridge structure is 30,000.

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

The benefit to the public is a safer travel experience while visiting the Sportman's Farm and providing a more efficient and effective point of ingress and egress for emergency vehicles. This will also provide for expedited egress in the unlikely event the facility needed to be evacuated due to emergency.

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?

Liquidated damages as well as cancellation of continuing services contract for non-performance.

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:

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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