



The Florida Senate

Local Funding Initiative Request

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

LFIR # 1938

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Children between the ages 11-14 experience many difficult developments during this time in their lives – especially rapid physical, mental/intellectual, and emotional changes – and it is also a time when they seek to fit in with other children their age. The funds will renovate an underutilized office/storage area into a special place where the kids can feel accepted, bond with each other and their police officer mentors, and participate in activities designed to help them be good citizens.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2024-2025

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	0
Fixed Capital Outlay	750,000
Total State Funds Requested	750,000

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2024-2025 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	750,000	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 2024-2025	750,000	100%

8. Has this project previously received state funding?

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

9. Is future 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.

10. Has the entity requesting this project received any federal assistance related to the COVID-19 pandemic?

If yes, indicate the amount of funds received and what the funds were used for.



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The Police Athletic League of St. Petersburg received PPP funds to retain staff in 2020.

Complete questions 11 and 12 for Fixed Capital Outlay Projects

11. 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?

09/01/2024

d. What is the estimated completion date of construction?

03/31/2025

12. 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.

The Police Athletic League of St. Petersburg has leased the facility where it operates from the City of St. Petersburg, FL for more than 30 years.

13. 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: Other		
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 Construction	750,000
Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)		750,000

14. Program Performance

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

The funds will renovate an underutilized office/storage area into a special place where the kids can feel accepted, bond with each other and their police officer mentors, and participate in activities designed to help them be good citizens.

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

Design and Construction

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



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The children ages 11-14 will be provided with additional opportunities for age-appropriate enrichment including financial literacy workshops, career fairs, entrepreneurship sessions, college tours, driver safety classes and community service days. In addition, they will be coupled with caring and knowledgeable adult mentors – including St. Petersburg Police Officers – to further increase their self-awareness and social support.

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

The children who will benefit come from low- to extremely low-income homes in St. Petersburg. Each year more than 50 pre-teens will get to enjoy the new area designed for them.

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

The Police Athletic League of St. Petersburg provides young people with a safe, fun place where they can go when they are not in school and participate in activities specifically designed to help them achieve academic success and be good citizens. We will look at the number of school referrals and suspensions.

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 the contract?

Non-reimbursement for funds expended.

15. Requester Contact Information

a. First Name **Last Name**

b. Organization

c. E-mail Address

d. Phone Number **Ext.**

16. 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

17. Lobbyist Contact Information



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a. Name	<input type="text" value="None"/>
b. Firm Name	<input type="text" value="None"/>
c. E-mail Address	<input type="text"/>
d. Phone Number	<input type="text"/>