

Appropriations Project Request - Fiscal Year 2020-21

For projects meeting the Definition of House Rule 5.14

1. Title of Project: Palmetto Green Bridge Fishing Pier Replacement
2. Date of Submission: 10/14/2019
3. House Member Sponsor: Will Robinson
Members Copied:

4. DETAILS OF AMOUNT REQUESTED:

- a. Has funding been provided in a previous state budget for this activity? No
If answer to 4a is "No" skip 4b and 4c and proceed to 4d, Col. E
- b. What is the most recent fiscal year the project was funded?
- c. Were the funds provided in the most recent fiscal year subsequently vetoed?
- d. Complete the following Project Request Worksheet to develop your request:

FY:	Input Prior Year Appropriation for this project for FY 2019-20 <i>(If appropriated in 2019-20 enter the appropriated amount, even if vetoed.)</i>			Develop New Funds Request for FY 2020-21 <i>(Requests for additional RECURRING funds are prohibited.)</i>		
Column:	A	B	C	D	E	F
Funds Description:	Prior Year Recurring Funds	Prior Year Nonrecurring Funds	Total Funds Appropriated <i>(Recurring plus Nonrecurring: column A + column B)</i>	Recurring Base Budget <i>(Will equal non-vetoed amounts provided in Column A)</i>	Additional Nonrecurring Request	TOTAL Nonrecurring plus Recurring Base Funds <i>(Will equal the amount from the Recurring base in Column D plus the Additional Nonrecurring Request in Column E.)</i>
Input Amounts:					900,000	900,000

5. Are funds for this issue requested in a state agency's Legislative Budget Request submitted for FY 2020-21? No
 - 5a. If yes, which state agency?
 - 5b. If no, which is the most appropriate state agency to place an appropriation for the issue being requested? Department of Economic Opportunity
 - 5c. Has the appropriate state agency for administering the funding, if the request were appropriated, been contacted? Yes
 - 5d. Describe penalties for failing to meet deliverables or performance measures which the agency should provide in its contract to administer the funding if appropriated.
Withholding of funding

6. Requester:

- a. Name: Charlie Hunsicker
- b. Organization: Manatee County Government
- c. Email: charlie.hunsicker@mymanatee.org
- d. Phone #: (941)745-3727

7. Contact for questions about specific technical or financial details about the project:

- a. Name: Charlie Hunsicker
- b. Organization: Manatee County Government
- c. Email: charlie.hunsicker@mymanatee.org
- d. Phone #: (941)745-3727

8. Is there a registered lobbyist working to secure funding for this project?

- a. Name: Cari Roth
- b. Firm: Dean Mead
- c. Email: croth@deanmead.com
- d. Phone #: (850)999-4100

9. Organization or Name of entity receiving funds:

- a. Name: Manatee County Government
- b. County (County where funds are to be expended): Manatee
- c. Service Area (Counties being served by the service(s) provided with funding): Statewide

10. What type of organization is the entity that will receive the funds? (Select one)

- For Profit
- Non Profit 501(c) (3)
- Non Profit 501(c) (4)
- Local Government
- University or College
- Other (Please describe)

11. What is the specific purpose or goal that will be achieved by the funds being requested?

Planning, design, engineering and permitting for the replacement of an old concrete highway bridge, which is functioning as a public pier extending out into the Manatee River as a public fishing and observation pier, with a new wooden fishing pier. The old concrete structure is no longer sound and the bridge needs to be decommissioned and demolished by 2022. Bridge demolition debris will be utilized to enhance a fully permitted artificial fishing reef site located 16 miles from the bridge.

12. Provide specific details on how funds will be spent. (Select all that apply)

Spending Category	Description	Nonrecurring (Should equal 4d, Col. E) Enter "0" if request is zero for the category
Administrative Costs:		
<input type="checkbox"/> a. Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		
<input type="checkbox"/> b. Other Salary and Benefits		
<input type="checkbox"/> c. Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		
<input type="checkbox"/> d. Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		
Operational Costs:		
<input type="checkbox"/> e. Salaries and Benefits		
<input type="checkbox"/> f. Expenses/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		
<input type="checkbox"/> g. Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> h. Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Planning and conceptual design, engineering and permitting.	900,000
TOTAL		900,000

13. For the Fixed Capital Costs requested with this issue (In Question 12, category "h. Fixed Capital Outlay" was selected), what type of ownership will the facility be under when complete? (Select one correct option)

For Profit

Non Profit 501(c) (3)

Non Profit 501(c) (4)

Local Government (e.g., police, fire or local government buildings, local roads, etc.)

State agency owned facility (For example: college or university facility, buildings for public schools, roads in the state transportation system, etc.)

Other (Please describe)

14. Is the project request an information technology project?

No

15. Is there any documented show of support for the requested project in the community including public hearings, letters of support, major organizational backing, or other expressions of support?

Yes

15a. Please Describe:

This project has been approved for RESTORE Act funding and gone through a public comment portal and survey completed in May 2017, our Board of County Commissioners approval (6/20/17) and the Gulf Coast Restoration Council through approval of the State Expenditure Plan (1/5/2018).

16. Has the need for the funds been documented by a study, completed by an independent 3rd party, for the area to be served?

Yes

16a. Please Describe:

Reports were completed in 1986, 2011, 2013, and 2015. A structural engineering repair evaluation report from 9/29/2016 describes that the structure may exceed safe loading limits under dead load conditions. When the bridge was turned over to the county in 1986 the useful life was estimated at 25 years at that time. Structure has now exceeded that timeframe.

17. Will the requested funds be used directly for services to citizens?

Yes

17a. What are the activities and services that will be provided to meet the purpose of the funds?

Planning and design, engineering and permitting for the replacement of a recreational fishing pier in Manatee County and construction/enhancement for a permitted offshore artificial fishing reef.

17b. Describe the direct services to be provided to the citizens by the funding requested.

Recreational opportunities for local citizens, tourists, and tourism service industry providers (i.e. charter fishing and recreational diving charters).

17c. Describe the target population to be served (i.e., "the majority of the funds requested will serve these target populations or groups.").

Select all that apply to the target population:

- Elderly persons
- Persons with poor mental health
- Persons with poor physical health
- Jobless persons
- Economically disadvantaged persons
- At-risk youth
- Homeless
- Developmentally disabled
- Physically disabled
- Drug users (in health services)
- Preschool students
- Grade school students
- High school students
- University/college students
- Currently or formerly incarcerated persons
- Drug offenders (in criminal Justice)
- Victims of crime
- General (The majority of the funds will benefit no specific group)
- Other (Please describe): Greene bridge fishing pier hosts several annual recreational fishing tournaments for at risk youth

17d. How many in the target population are expected to be served?

- < 25
- 25-50
- 51-100
- 101-200
- 201-400

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18. What benefits or outcomes will be realized by the expenditure of funds requested? (Select each Benefit/Outcome that applies)

Benefit or Outcome	Provide a specific measure of the benefit or outcome	Describe the method for measuring level of benefit
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve physical health		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve mental health		
<input type="checkbox"/> Enrich cultural experience		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve agricultural production/promotion/education		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve quality of education		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enhance/preserve/improve environmental or fish and wildlife quality	Increased coverage of structure over an existing permitted artificial reef	Delivery tickets and charts for deposition on the "Bridge Reef"
<input type="checkbox"/> Protect the general public from harm (environmental, criminal, etc.)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve transportation conditions		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase or improve economic activity	Quantitative success criteria will be developed for recreational amenities and public recreational use statistics.	Manatee County will create a detailed monitoring program that will address data collection and assessment methodologies. The county is committed to conducting monitoring to quantify benefits.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase tourism	Quantitative success criteria will be developed for recreational amenities and public recreational use statistics.	Manatee County will create a detailed monitoring program that will address data collection and assessment methodologies. The county is committed to conducting monitoring to quantify benefits.

<input type="checkbox"/> Create specific immediate job opportunities		
<input type="checkbox"/> Enhance specific individual's economic self sufficiency		
<input type="checkbox"/> Reduce recidivism		
<input type="checkbox"/> Reduce substance abuse		
<input type="checkbox"/> Divert from Criminal/Juvenile justice system		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve wastewater management		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve stormwater management		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve groundwater quality		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve drinking water quality		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve surface water quality		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please describe):		

19. Provide the total cost of the project for FY 2020-21 from all sources of funding (Enter "0" if amount is zero):

Type of Funding	Amount	Percent of Total	Are the other sources of funds guaranteed in writing?
1. Amount Requested from the State in this Appropriations Project Request:	900,000	15.0%	N/A
2. Federal:	0	0.0%	No
3. State: (Excluding the requested Total Amount in #4d, Column F)	0	0.0%	No
4. Local:	2,000,000	33.3%	No
5. Other:	3,100,000	51.7%	Yes

TOTAL	6,000,000	100%	
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20. Is this a multi-year project requiring funding from the state for more than one year?

No