Appropriations Project Request - Fiscal Year 2017-18

For projects meeting the Definition of House Rule 5.14

- 1. Title of Project: Town of Sewall's Point Septic to Sewer Conversion Project
- 2. Date of Submission: <u>02/03/2017</u>
- 3. House Member Sponsor: <u>Gayle Harrell</u> Members Copied:

4. DETAILS OF AMOUNT REQUESTED:

- a. Has funding been provided in a previous state budget for this activity? <u>No</u> If answer to 4a is ?NO? skip 4b and 4c and proceed to 4d
- 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 (Note that column E will be the total of Recurring funds requested and Column F will be the total Nonrecurring funds requested, the sum of which is the Total of the Funds you are requesting in column G):

FY:	Input Prior Year Appropriation for this project for FY 2016-17 (If appropriated in 2016-17 enter the appropriated amount, even if vetoed.)			Develop New Funds Request for FY 2017-18 (Requests for additional RECURRING funds are prohibited. Any additional Nonrecurring funding requested to supplement recurring funds in the base will result in the base recurring amount being converted to Nonrecurring.)		
Column:	А	В	С	D	E	F
Funds	Prior Year		Total Funds	Recurring Base	Additional	TOTAL Nonrecurring Request
Description:	Recurring	Prior Year	Appropriated	Budget	Nonrecurring	(Will equal the amount from the Recurring base in
	Funds	Nonrecurring		(Will equal non-	Request	Column D to be CONVERTED to Nonrecurring plus
		Funds	(Recurring plus	vetoed amounts		the Additional Nonrecurring Request in Column E.
			Nonrecurring:	provided in Column		These funds will be appropriated non-recurring if
			column A + column	A)		funded in the House Budget or the Final Conference
			B)			Report on the budget.)
Input					1,500,000	1,500,000
Amounts:						

5. Are funds for this issue requested in a state agency?s Legislative Budget Request submitted for FY 2017-18? No5a. If yes, which state agency?

5b. If no, which is the most appropriate state agency to place an appropriation for the issue being requested? For example, if the requested issue pertains to services provided to inmates at correctional facilities, the Department of Corrections would be the most appropriate state agency. Department of Environmental Protection

- 6. Requester:
 - a. Name: Pamela Walker
 - b. Organization: Town of Sewall's Point
 - c. Email: pwalker@sewallspoint.org
 - d. Phone #: (772)287-2455

7. Contact for questions about specific technical or financial details about the project (Please retype if same as Requester):

- a. Name: <u>Pamela Walker</u>
- b. Organization: Town of Sewall's Point
- c. Email: pwalker@sewallspoint.org
- d. Phone #: (772)287-2455
- 8. If there is a registered lobbyist, fill out the lobbyist information below.
 - a. Name: None
 - b. Firm: <u>None</u>
 - c. Email:
 - d. Phone #:
- 9. Organization or Name of Entity Receiving Funds(Please retype if same as Requestor or Contact):
 - a. Name: Town of Sewall's Point
 - b. County (County where funds are to be expended): Martin
 - c. Service Area (Counties being served by the service(s) provided with funding): Martin
- 10. What type of organization is the entity that will receive the funds? (Select one)
 - O For Profit
 - O Non Profit 501(c) (3)
 - O Non Profit 501(c) (4)
 - Local Government

O University or College O Other (Please describe)

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

Convert 1,000 septic tanks to a main sewer system in neighborhoods that are located at the confluence of the St Lucie River and Indian River Lagoon.

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

Spending Category	Description	Nonrecurring (Should equal 4d, Col. F) Enter ?0? if request is zero for the category
Administrative Costs:		
□a. Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		
□b. Other Salary and Benefits		
□c. Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		
□d. Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		
Operational Costs:		
□e. Salaries and Benefits		
□f. Expenses/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		
□g. Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
☑h. Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering	Construct main trunk line for the conversion of 1,000 septic tanks to sanitary sewer to remove pollutants from leaching to the St Lucie Estuary and IRL, restore estuary health and	1,500,000

		stabilize local economy	
1	TOTAL		1,500,000

13. For the Fixed Capital Costs requested with this issue, what type of ownership will the facility be under when complete? (In Question 12, if ?h. Fixed Capital Outlay? was not selected, question 13 is not applicable)

OFor Profit

ONon Profit 501(c) (3)

ONon Profit 501(c) (4)

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

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

, OOther (Please describe)

14. Is the project request an information technology project? N/A

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?

<u>Yes</u>

15a. Please Describe:

Various workshops and public meetings and high ranks for the project from the St Lucie Issues Team.

- 16. Has the need for the funds been documented by a study, completed by an independent 3rd party, for the area to be served? <u>Yes</u>
 - 16a. Please Describe:

Martin County Utilities "Septic to Sewer Study 2015 and FDEP's TMDL Report Nutriend and Dissolved Oxygen TMDL for StLucie Estuary, with its described project location in page 11, table 2-1 at the Mid Coastal Sub-basin of the St Lucie Estuary, WBID 3193. The TMDL report listed this area as impaired for a total phosphorus and total nitrogen and a "high priority" for pollutant reduction.

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

Benefit or Outcome	Provide a specific measure of the benefit or outcome	Describe the method for measuring level of benefit	
☑Improve physical health	Reduced water pollution: TP. TN contaminants.	Water quality monitoring.	
Improve mental health	Residing and working in a polluted environment that once offered peacefulness and solace is mentally debilitating. Removing the harmful pollutants and restoring the natural environment directly improves mental health for all. It removes feelings of hopelessness, anger and resentment.	Record number of local and regional home and business sales. Record number of mental health appointments. Compare the number of press stories about harmful pollutants and public outcry regarding pollution effects before pre- construction to post-construction to measure the positive impact on mental health in the region.	
□Enrich cultural experience			
□Improve agricultural production/promotion/education			
□Improve quality of education			
☑Enhance/preserve/improve environmental or fish and wildlife quality	Reduced water pollution: TP. TN contaminants.	Water quality monitoring.	
☑Protect the general public from harm (environmental, criminal, etc.)	Reduced water pollution: TP. TN contaminants.	Water quality monitoring.	
□Improve transportation conditions			
Increase or improve economic activity	The area has been experiencing an economic drop due to polluted waters in the IRL and SLE, green algae blooms from excessive nutrients in local waters. By removing the	Regionally reported revenues, numbers of visitors, numbers of newly established businesses and number of maintained businesses experiencing revenue stability and	

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

	pollutants leaching to the waters, we gain economic stability and spur tourism growth.	growth.
⊠Increase tourism	Boos regional tourism to the St Lucie Estuary and IRL for boating, fishing, water sports, wildlife observation and education.	Number of visitors to local and regional area. Increased sales tax revenues.
☑Create specific immediate job opportunities	From design to construction completion, multiple jobs will be created in multiple industries.	Reduced unemployment.
DEnhance specific individual?s economic self sufficiency		
□Reduce recidivism		
□Reduce substance abuse		
☑Divert from Criminal/Juvenile justice system	Residing and working in a polluted environment promotes feelings of hopelessness, anger and resentment that can lead people to criminal activity. By removing the pollution and restoring the natural environment, we restore a sense of order to the region and divert the possibility of criminal activity in the region.	Compare criminal activity percentage prior to the project construction and after project completion.
Improve wastewater management		
☑Improve stormwater management	Reduced water pollution: TP. TN contaminants.	Water quality monitoring.
☑Improve groundwater quality	Reduced water pollution: TP. TN contaminants.	Water quality monitoring.

☑Improve drinking water quality	Reduced water pollution: TP. TN contaminants.	Water quality monitoring.
☑Improve surface water quality	Reduced water pollution: TP. TN contaminants.	Water quality monitoring.
□Other (Please describe):		

19. Provide the total cost of the project for FY 2017-18 from all sources of funding (Enter ?0? if amount is zero):

Type of Funding	Amount	Percent of Total (Automatically Calculates)	Are the other sources of funds guaranteed in writing?
1. Amount Requested from the State in this Appropriations Project Request:	1,500,000	50.0%	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:	1,500,000	50.0%	Yes
5. Other:	0	0.0%	No
TOTAL	3,000,000	100%	

- 20. Is this a multi-year project requiring funding from the state for more than one year? <u>No</u>
- 21. What is the revenue source of ongoing operating funds? Town of Sewall's Point General Revenue Fund
- 22. Has local approval been given for ongoing operating funds? $\underline{\underline{Yes}}$
- 23. Have you applied for alternative state funding?

- □a. Wastewater Revolving Loan
- □b. Drinking Water Revolving Loan
- □c. Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant
- \Box d. Other (Please describe)
- ⊠e. N/A
- 24. Has project been addressed in a local, regional, or state plan? <u>Yes</u>
 - 24a. If Yes, insert plan name and cite page numbers.

Project was approved by FDEP and included in 2013 BMAP for the St Lucie River and Estuary Planning Unit of the Indian River Lagoon: Page 105 Table D-13, project #SP-24, Mandalay. FDEP's 2008 TMDL report Nutrient and Dissolved Oxygen page 11 table 2-1, WBID 3193 as high priority for Estuary Health. 2015 Martin County Utility plan pages 9-10 and Town of Sewall's Point comprehensive plan pages 57-61.

- 25. Is the project for a financially disadvantaged community? <u>No</u>
- 26. What is the population economic status?
 - Oa. Financially Disadvantaged Municipality
 - Ob. Rural Area of Critical Economic Concern
 - Oc. Rural Community Experiencing Economic Distress
 - ⊙d. N/A
- 27. What is the status of planning?
 - ⊙a. Ready
 - Ob. Not Ready
- 28. What percentage of the planning process has been completed 100%
- 29. What is the estimated planning completion date? 10/16
- 30. What is the status of design?⊙a. ReadyOb. Not Ready

- 31. What percentage of design has been completed? 60%
- 32. What is the estimated design completion date?5/17
- 33. List all required permits.FDEP Water & Sewer Permit; Martin Co., Utilities Permit; FDOT Utility Permit
- 34. What is the status of permitting?
 - Oa. Planned
 - \odot b. Submitted
 - Oc. Received
- 35. What is the status of construction?
 - ⊙a. Ready
 - Ob. Not Ready
- 36. What percentage of construction has been completed?
- 37. What is the estimated completion date of construction?6/19