

Appropriations Project Request - Fiscal Year 2017-18

For projects meeting the Definition of House Rule 5.14

1. Title of Project: Water Use, Water Supply & Free Market Policy Study at UF

2. Date of Submission: 02/07/2017

3. House Member Sponsor: Matt Caldwell

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
- 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 <i>(If appropriated in 2016-17 enter the appropriated amount, even if vetoed.)</i>			Develop New Funds Request for FY 2017-18 <i>(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 .)</i>		
	Column:	A	B	C	D	E
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 Request <i>(Will equal the amount from the Recurring base in Column D to be CONVERTED to Nonrecurring plus the Additional Nonrecurring Request in Column E. These funds will be appropriated non-recurring if funded in the House Budget or the Final Conference Report on the budget.)</i>
Input Amounts:					100,000	100,000

5. Are funds for this issue requested in a state agency's Legislative Budget Request submitted for FY 2017-18? 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? 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. Board of Governors

6. Requester:

- a. Name: Representative Matt Caldwell
- b. Organization: Florida House of Representatives
- c. Email: matt.caldwell@myfloridahouse.gov
- d. Phone #: (850)717-5079

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

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8. If there is a registered lobbyist, fill out the lobbyist information below.

- a. Name: None
- b. Firm: None
- c. Email:
- d. Phone #:

9. Organization or Name of Entity Receiving Funds(Please retype if same as Requestor or Contact):

- a. Name: University of Florida - Water Institute
- b. County (County where funds are to be expended): Statewide
- 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) State Agency owned (e.g. College Facility, State road)

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

To study the feasibility of introducing free market price mechanics into water supply planning while maintaining fidelity to the concept water as a public resource.

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:		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> d. Consultants/Contracted Services/Study	Utilize the resources of the Institute to conduct the study.	100,000
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 type="checkbox"/> h. Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		
TOTAL		100,000

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)

N/A

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:

The concept was studied during the tenure of Governor Martinez. Constituents from around the State have contacted me both in person and via e-mail with a request that the broader concept be revisited for analysis and discussion.

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

No

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

No

18. What benefits or outcomes will be realized by the expenditure of funds requested? (Select all 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve agricultural production/promotion/education	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.

	environmental supply.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve quality of education		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enhance/preserve/improve environmental or fish and wildlife quality	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and environmental supply.	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Protect the general public from harm (environmental, criminal, etc.)	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and environmental supply.	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve transportation conditions		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase or improve economic activity	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and environmental supply.	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase tourism		
<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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve wastewater management	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and environmental supply.	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve stormwater management	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and environmental supply.	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve groundwater quality	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and environmental supply.	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve drinking water quality	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and environmental supply.	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve surface water quality	More efficient allocation of a scarce and critical resource via free market principles will improve quality and stability of water supply, which benefits ag, public, and environmental supply.	The study will evaluate feasible options and recommend policy prescriptions.

<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please describe):		
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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:	100,000	100.0%	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:	0	0.0%	No
5. Other:	0	0.0%	No
TOTAL	100,000	100%	

20. Is this a multi-year project requiring funding from the state for more than one year?

No