

Appropriations Project Request - Fiscal Year 2017-18

For projects meeting the Definition of House Rule 5.14

1. Title of Project: Continuum of Care for Enhanced Offender Rehabilitation

2. Date of Submission: 02/06/2017

3. House Member Sponsor: Brad Drake

Members Copied:

4. DETAILS OF AMOUNT REQUESTED:

a. Has funding been provided in a previous state budget for this activity? Yes

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? 2016-17

c. Were the funds provided in the most recent fiscal year subsequently vetoed? No

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:	A	B	C	D	E	F
Funds Description:	Prior Year Recurring Funds	Prior Year Nonrecurring Funds	Total Funds Appropriated (Recurring plus Nonrecurring: column A + column B)	Recurring Base Budget (Will equal non- vetoed amounts provided in Column A)	Additional Nonrecurring Request	TOTAL Nonrecurring Request (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.)
Input Amounts:		330,000	330,000		2,962,578	2,962,578

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. Department of Corrections

6. Requester:

- a. Name: Derrick Schofield
- b. Organization: The GEO Group
- c. Email: dschofield@geogroup.com
- d. Phone #: (561)999-8151

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

- a. Name: David Burch
- b. Organization: the GEO Group
- c. Email: dburch@geogroup.com
- d. Phone #: (561)999-5902

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

- a. Name: Ronald Book
- b. Firm: Ronald L. Book, P.A.
- c. Email: ron@rlbookpa.com
- d. Phone #: (850)224-3427

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

- a. Name: The GEO Group
- b. County (County where funds are to be expended): Bay, Glades, Palm Beach, Santa Rosa
- 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?

To enhance in-prison rehabilitation programs to include cognitive-based therapy (individual and group) integrated with post-release services. The outcomes of enhanced offender rehabilitation programs will result in reduction in recidivism, increased public safety, and promote successful community reintegration. Key components of the enhanced programming include:
cognitive behavioral treatment programs to address criminogenic needs; education programs and certified vocational training to develop

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 type="checkbox"/> d. Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		
Operational Costs:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> e. Salaries and Benefits	Additional programming staff	1,887,392
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> f. Expenses/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other	Training, post-release services, and program expenses	1,075,186
<input type="checkbox"/> g. Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		
<input type="checkbox"/> h. Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		

TOTAL		2,962,578
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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:

Since beginning our pilot program at the Graceville facility in July 2016 we have received numerous letters of support from current Post Release Participants and GEO Preferred Community Service Providers. See below for examples:

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:

The Level of funding to provide Continuum of Care Programming for the 4 sites is based upon historical data calculated from The GEO Group providing the services at Graceville Correctional Facility.

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

Yes

17a. Describe the target population to be served. 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
- ☐ Other (Please describe)

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

- ☐ < 25
- ☐ 25-50
- ☐ 51-100
- ☐ 101-200
- ☐ 201-400
- ☐ 401-800
- ☒ >800

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 type="checkbox"/> Improve agricultural production/promotion/education		
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve quality of education		
<input type="checkbox"/> Enhance/preserve/improve environmental or fish and		

wildlife quality		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Protect the general public from harm (environmental, criminal, etc.)	Discipline Reports/SIRs/Criminal Thinking Scales (CTS) Score	Comparison over time (6 months for each measure)
<input type="checkbox"/> Improve transportation conditions		
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase or improve economic activity		
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase tourism		
<input type="checkbox"/> Create specific immediate job opportunities		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enhance specific individual's economic self sufficiency	Education/Vocation and Employment status	Total # of hours completed in each program and certifications granted. After release, education status at monthly intervals.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reduce recidivism	Risk Assessment/CTS/Recidivism Rate	Lower annual risk and CTS at 3-intervals, recidivism rate at 1 & 3 years
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reduce substance abuse	Substance abuse (SA) program, Urine analysis	SA hours and completions and urinalysis over time (monthly intervals)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Divert from Criminal/Juvenile justice system	Post Release Participants served, employment/education enrollment, community resources.	The # of Post Release Participants at release, whether they are enrolled in education or employment at release/1 month/3 months) and # of community referrals and resources contacted when released.
<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 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:	2,962,578	75.2%	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:	975,436	24.8%	Yes
TOTAL	3,938,014	100%	

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

Yes

20a. How much state funding would be requested after 2017-18 over the next 5 years?

- ☐ <1M
☐ 1-3M
☐ >3-10M
☒ >10M

20b. How many additional years of state support do you expect to need for this project?

- ☐ 1 year
☐ 2 years

- ☐ 3 years
- ☐ 4 years
- ☒ ≥ 5 years

20c. What is the total project cost for all years including all federal, local, state, and any other funds? Select the single answer which best describes the total project cost. If funds requested are for ongoing services or for recurring activities, select ?ongoing activity?.

- ☒ ongoing activity ? no total cost
- ☐ <1M
- ☐ 1-2M
- ☐ >2-3M
- ☐ >3-10M
- ☐ >10M