Appropriations Project Request - Fiscal Year 2018-19

For projects meeting the Definition of House Rule 5.14

1. Title of Project: Martin County East Fork Creek Stormwater Quality Retrofit

2. Date of Submission: 11/07/2017

3. House Member Sponsor: MaryLynn Magar

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 2017-18 (If appropriated in 2017-18 enter the appropriated amount, even if vetoed.)			Develop New Funds Request for FY 2018-19 (Requests for additional RECURRING funds are prohibited.)		
Column:	Α	В	С	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 plus Recurring Base Funds (Will equal the amount from the Recurring base in Column D plus the Additional Nonrecurring Request in Column E.)
Input Amounts:					1,200,000	1,200,000

- 5. Are funds for this issue requested in a state agency?s Legislative Budget Request submitted for FY 2018-19? 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 Environmental

Protection

- 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.

if project not constructed, funds to be reverted back to FDEP

 a. Name: <u>Deborah Drum</u> b. Organization: <u>Martin County Engineering Dept. Ecosystems Restoration and Mgmt Divological Ecosystems (Inc. Email: ddrum@martin.fl.us</u> d. Phone #: (772)463-3263 	<u>/.</u>
7. Contact for questions about specific technical or financial details about the project: a. Name: Greg Nolte b. Organization: Martin County c. Email: gnolta@martin.fl.us d. Phone #: (772)221-2380	
8. Is there a registered lobbyist working to secure funding for this project? a. Name: Carol Bracy b. Firm: Ballard Partners c. Email: carol@ballardfl.com d. Phone #: (850)210-6498	
 9. Organization or Name of entity receiving funds: a. Name: Martin County 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) ○ For Profit ○ Non Profit 501(c) (3) ○ Non Profit 501(c) (4) ④ Local Government ○ University or College ○ Other (Please describe) 	
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6. Requester:

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

Engineering, survey, environmental and geotechnical work to design, permit and construct a water quality retrofit project consisting of a Stormwater Treatment Area (STA) and control structure to reduce nutrient loads to the St Lucie River and estuary.

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:		
□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	Engineering, design and construction of a water quality retrofit project consisting of a stormwater treatment area (STA), and control structure.	1,200,000
TOTAL		1,200,000

13. For the Fixed Capital Costs requested with this issue (In Question 12, category ?h. Fixed Ca	pital Outlay? was selected), what type of ownership
will the facility be under when complete? (Select one correct option)	
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 pub	lic schools, roads in the state transportation system,
etc.)	
OOther (Please describe)	
14. Is the project request an information technology project?	

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

N/A

15a. Please Describe:

Project is identified in the Martin County Stormwater Needs Assessment Report, that has been reviewed and accepted by the Martin County BOCC. Additionally, numerous entities support water quality improvement in Martin County.

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:

Florida Department of Environmental Protection's Basin Management Action Plan (BMAP) in the St. Lucie River and Estuary. St. Lucie River Watershed Protection Plan.

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

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

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Benefit or Outcome	Provide a specific measure of the benefit	Describ	be the method for measuring level

	or outcome	of benefit
□Improve physical health		
□Improve mental health		
□Enrich cultural experience		
□Improve agricultural production/promotion/education		
□Improve quality of education		
☑Enhance/preserve/improve environmental or fish and wildlife quality	Reduce nutrients and total suspended solids for water flowing in the Loxahatchee River	Water quality monitoring at the inflows and outflows of the project
☑Protect the general public from harm (environmental, criminal, etc.)	Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen reductions	Water quality monitoring at the inflows and outflows of the project
□Improve transportation conditions		
☑Increase or improve economic activity	Construction activities will utilize contractors, supporting economic activity for building the project The completed project resulting in cleaner water will support local water-dependent businesses (bait shops, paddle sport businesses, marinas,etc.)	Consult with the local chamber of commerce and/or Economic Council of Martin County regarding water dependent businesses success/failure
☑Increase tourism	Cleaner water will result from the project, creating better conditions for a tourism based economy.	Measure the collection of bed tax from increased tourism
☑Create specific immediate job opportunities	Construction activities will utilize contractors, supporting economic activity for building the project.	No planned measurements for this benefit

☑Enhance specific individual?s economic self sufficiency	No planned measurements for this benefit	Consult with the local chamber of commerce and/or Economic Council of Martin County regarding water dependent businesses success/failure	
□Reduce recidivism			
□Reduce substance abuse			
□Divert from Criminal/Juvenile justice system			
□Improve wastewater management			
☑Improve stormwater management	Reduce nutrients and total suspended solids for water flowing in the Loxahatchee River	Water quality monitoring at the inflows and outflows of the project	
☑Improve groundwater quality	Improved groundwater quality is implied by this project, but there are no funds to specifically measure the improvement.	No planned measurements for this benefit	
□Improve drinking water quality			
☑Improve surface water quality	Reduce nutrients and total suspended solids for water flowing in the Loxahatchee River	Reduce nutrients and total suspended solids for water flowing in the Loxahatchee River	
□Other (Please describe):			

19. Provide the total cost of the project for FY 2018-19 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	1,200,000	50.0%	N/A

Project Request:			
2. Federal:	0	0.0%	No
State: (Excluding the requested Total Amount in #4d, Column F)	0	0.0%	No
4. Local:	1,200,000	50.0%	Yes
5. Other:	0	0.0%	No
TOTAL	2,400,000	100%	

20. Is this a multi-year project requiring funding from the state for more than one year? No

21. What is the revenue source of ongoing operating funds? local ad valorem funds

22. Has local approval been given for ongoing operating funds? Yes

23. Have you applied for alternative state funding?

- ☐a. Wastewater Revolving Loan
- ☐b. Drinking Water Revolving Loan
- ☐c. Small Community Wastewater Treatment Grant
- □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.

Martin County Water Quality / Stormwater Needs Assessment; Florida Department of Environmental Protection's Basin Management Action Plan (BMAP) in the St. Lucie River and Estuary. St. Lucie River Watershed Protection Plan.

25. Is the project for a financially disadvantaged community? (as defined in Chapter 62-552, F.A.C.)

- 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? 5%
- 29. What is the estimated planning completion date? 12/31/2019
- 30. What is the status of design?
 - Oa. Ready
 - ⊙b. Not Ready
- 31. What percentage of design has been completed? 0
- 32. What is the estimated design completion date? 9/30/2020
- 33. List all required permits.

SFWMD Environmental Resource Permit (ERP); ACOE

- 34. What is the status of permitting?
 - ⊙a. Planned
 - Ob. Submitted
 - Oc. Received

- 35. What is the status of construction?
 - Oa. Ready
 - ⊙b. Not Ready
- 36. What percentage of construction has been completed?
- 37. What is the estimated completion date of construction? 9/30/21