

Appropriations Project Request - Fiscal Year 2020-21

For projects meeting the Definition of House Rule 5.14

1. Title of Project: Comprehensive Home Accessibility for Floridians with Disabilities
2. Date of Submission: 11/12/2019
3. House Member Sponsor: David Santiago
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:					750,000	750,000

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.
N/A

6. Requester:

- a. Name: Elizabeth Howe
- b. Organization: Center for Independent Living in Central Florida, Inc.
- c. Email: ehowe@cilorlando.org
- d. Phone #: (407)623-1070

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

- a. Name: Elizabeth Howe
- b. Organization: Center for Independent Living in Central Florida, Inc.
- c. Email: ehowe@cilorlando.org
- d. Phone #: (407)623-1070

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

- a. Name: Georgia McKeown
- b. Firm: Johnson & Blanton
- c. Email: georgia@teamjb.com
- d. Phone #: (904)303-1070

9. Organization or Name of entity receiving funds:

- a. Name: Center for Independent Living in Central Florida, Inc.
- b. County (County where funds are to be expended): Orange
- c. Service Area (Counties being served by the service(s) provided with funding): DeSoto, Hardee, Highlands, Orange, Osceola, Polk, Seminole

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?

The Center for Independent Living in Central Florida proposes a pilot home accessibility program that is not restricted by age, type of disability or housing situation. Current programs that may provide partial funding for home accessibility often place undue burdens on individuals, don't provide needed items/modifications or exclude them altogether. This program would serve individuals with disabilities without regard to age, disability or housing situation.

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits	20% of Project Head Salaries and Benefits	15,250
<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	3 FTE's salaries and benefits (home modification building technicians, home accessibility specialist/manager)	173,842
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> f. Expenses/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other	Materials for home modifications, equipment, travel, supplies and other program expenses	275,408
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> g. Consultants/Contracted Services/Study	Home modification contractors	285,500
Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:		

<input type="checkbox"/> h. Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		
TOTAL		750,000

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:

Raised over \$11,000 through donations to build wheelchair ramps, received grants from Publix Foundation, Agricultural and Labor Program, Inc. and City of Winter Park CRA for home accessibility services, utilized over 60 volunteers to help build home modifications.

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?

Yes

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

intake process to determine eligibility, assessment process at individuals' homes, planning process for completion of home accessibility services and the actual home accessibility service

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

Home accessibility services

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)

17d. 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 each Benefit/Outcome that applies)

Benefit or Outcome	Provide a specific measure of the benefit	Describe the method for measuring level
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	or outcome	of benefit
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve physical health	PREVENT FALLS AND OTHER INJURY TO SENIORS WITH DISABILITY LIVING IN THEIR OWN HOMES	NUMBER OF HOME ACCESSIBILITY PROJECTS COMPLETED
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Improve mental health	PROMOTE INDEPENDENCE OF CITIZENS WITH DISABILITY BY ALLOWING THEM TO CONTINUE LIVING IN THE COMMUNITY	CONTINUED RESIDENCE OF CITIZEN WITH DISABILITY IN COMMUNITY, RATHER THAN A NURSING HOME
<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 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	SAVINGS TO STATE OF \$17,500,000 BY DIVERTING MEDICAID LONG - TERM ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS FROM NURSING HOME PLACEMENT.	THE ANNUAL SAVINGS TO THE STATE OF \$87,500 PER PROJECT PARTICIPANT x 200 OF PROJECT PARTICIPANTS IS \$17,500,000: Annual cost per project participant $\$750,000 / 200 = \$3,750$ (ANNUAL AVERAGE COST PER PERSON)
<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 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:	750,000	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	750,000	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 2020-21 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
- 1-3M
- >3-10M
- >10M