

FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Raw Application Materials Submitted to the Southwest Florida Water Management District									
Unit Number	Applicant	Project	Nitrogen Reduction	FDEP Request	WMD Request	Local Match	Other Funding	Total	
APP01	Bay Laurel CCDD	<u>On Top of the World North Advanced WWTF*</u>	15,856	\$ 325,000	\$ 125,000	\$ 895,500	\$ -	\$ 1,345,500	
APP02	Marion County	<u>NWRWWTF Expansion</u>	2,017	\$ 6,850,000	\$ 3,425,000	\$ 3,425,000	\$ -	\$ 13,700,000	
APP03	Marion County	<u>Oak Bend I-75 Water Quality Improvement*</u>	1,076	\$ 257,520	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 257,520	
APP04	FGUA	<u>Rainbow River - Rio Vista Septic to Sewer</u>	3,551	\$ 10,000,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,000,000	
APP05	FGUA	<u>Burkitt Road Septic to Sewer</u>	113	\$ 350,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 350,000	
APP06	FGUA	<u>180th Ave Package Plant Abatement</u>	284	\$ 847,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 847,000	
APP07	Hernando County	<u>Airport WRF Total Nitrogen Reduction</u>	16,212	\$ 7,500,000	\$ -	\$ 2,500,000	\$ -	\$ 10,000,000	
APP08	Hernando County	<u>Airport WWTF Full Expansion</u>	14,137	\$ 5,000,000	\$ -	\$ 21,000,000	\$ -	\$ 26,000,000	
APP09	Hernando County	<u>Septic to Sewer District A Phase 1</u>	3,412	\$ 8,250,000	\$ 4,125,000	\$ 4,125,000	\$ -	\$ 16,500,000	
APP10	Hernando County	<u>Glen Water Reclamation Facility Denitrification</u>	24,592	\$ 3,700,000	\$ -	\$ 1,300,000	\$ -	\$ 5,000,000	
APP11	City of Inverness	<u>South Highlands Septic to Sewer*</u>	695 (Phase 1)	\$ 2,613,600	\$ -	\$ 653,400	\$ -	\$ 3,267,000	
APP12	City of Inverness	<u>44 West Sewer Extension</u>	5427 (Total Project)	\$ 1,888,400	\$ -	\$ 472,100	\$ -	\$ 2,360,500	
APP13	City of Inverness	<u>41 North Sewer Extension</u>	1,746	\$ 3,264,800	\$ -	\$ 816,200	\$ -	\$ 4,081,000	
APP14	City of Crystal River	<u>Pelican Bay Package Plant Removal</u>	47	\$ 440,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 440,000	
		<u>*Multiyear Funding Request, only FY21 request listed</u>							
	Application Count: 14		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 51,286,320</b>	<b>\$ 7,675,000</b>	<b>\$ 35,187,200</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 94,148,520</b>	
				<b>Last Updated:</b>	10/7/2019				





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

This application should be completed and emailed with the appropriate calculations and map to [Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us) by 5:00PM on October 4, 2019.

## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Bay Laurel Center Community Development District (BLCCDD)

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Bryan Schmalz, Utility Director

Project Manager Address: 8470 SW 79th Street Road, Suite 3, Ocala, Florida 34481

Project Manager Phone Number: 352-414-5454, ext 4105

Project Manager Email Address: [bryan\\_schmalz@blccdd.com](mailto:bryan_schmalz@blccdd.com)

## Project General Information

Project Name: On Top of the World North Advanced Wastewater Treatment Facility

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd): 1.15 mgd in 2026

Land Acquisition (acres): 37.09

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year): 15,856 in 2026 (see calcs)

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year): N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?                      Yes                      No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

This is a multiyear funded project for the design and construction of the following components:

1. A 2.5 MGD advanced domestic wastewater treatment facility (WWTF) to replace a 1.25 MGD conventional extended-aeration WWTF. Biosolids treatment and thickening is included - as a result biosolids will no longer be land applied on site and instead, be disposed of off site into a lined landfill outside the Rainbow Spring basin.
2. Wastewater transmission system improvements including: a) 1 triplex master lift station with odor control; and b) approximately 15,000 feet of 20-inch diameter force main.
3. Reclaim transmission system improvements including: a) one 5-million gallon ground storage tank (GST); b) one high-service reclaim pumping station; and c) approximately 800 feet of 16-inch transmission main with tie-in connections and fill valve at existing 2.5-million gallon GST. CFI funding will be requested for this portion of the project.

The following phasing schedule is anticipated:

Phase 1 - Engineering/Design	Start: January 2021	End: June 2022
Phase 2 - Bidding and Construction	Start: July 2022	End: September 2024

Phases 1 and 2 will be covered by this funding request application.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date:    January 2021

End Date:    September 2024

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Marion

Latitude (decimal degrees) 29.1075 N

Longitude (decimal degrees) 82.2975 W

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Rainbow Springs

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 8.2 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Rainbow Springs

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

In an effort to mitigate and offset groundwater water withdrawals from the Floridan Aquifer, BLCCDD's long term local water quantity strategy plan is to provide reclaimed water to golf courses, common areas, and commercial areas within the On Top of the World and Stone Creek developments.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2021</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 325,000.00	\$ 22,210,000.00	\$ 22,535,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 125,000.00	\$ 2,725,000.00	\$ 2,850,000.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 895,500.00	\$ 24,489,500.00	\$ 25,385,000.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,345,500.00	\$ 49,424,500.00	\$ 50,770,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2021</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 50,770,000.00	\$ 50,770,000.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 50,770,000.00	\$ 50,770,000.00

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Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

## WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITIES MASTER PLAN REPORT

Prepared for: Bay Laurel Center Community Development District, November 2016

**Don't forget to submit**

**Benefit Calculations**

**Map**

**Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)**

**Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)**

**Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)**

Please contact Frank Gargano at  
[Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us)  
with any questions prior to submittal.

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

On Top of the World North Advanced Wastewater Treatment Facility

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Once constructed, Advanced Waste Treatment will be offered.

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Reclaimed

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

2.50 mgd proposed

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.650 mgd (current)

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

6.2 now, 3.0 proposed

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

N/A

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

To cover plant capacity charges, an Allowance for Funds Prudently Invested (AFPI) is collected by BLCCDD in the amount of \$2,434/ERU.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

BLCCDD will need to purchase 37.09 acres to construct the proposed Advanced WWTF. The cost is estimated at \$12,000 per acre for a total cost of approximately \$445,000.

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

Approximately 15,000 feet of 20-inch diameter forcemain.

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

N/A, entire development is on centralized sewer.

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

N/A, entire development is on centralized sewer.

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

N/A, entire development is on centralized sewer.

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

N/A

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

N/A, entire development is on centralized sewer.

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

N/A

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

N/A

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%):

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%):

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd):

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd): 1.15 mgd in 2026

Percent Offset (%): 75%

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%): 10%

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

Agriculture

What will be the landuse once purchased?

Wastewater Treatment Facility

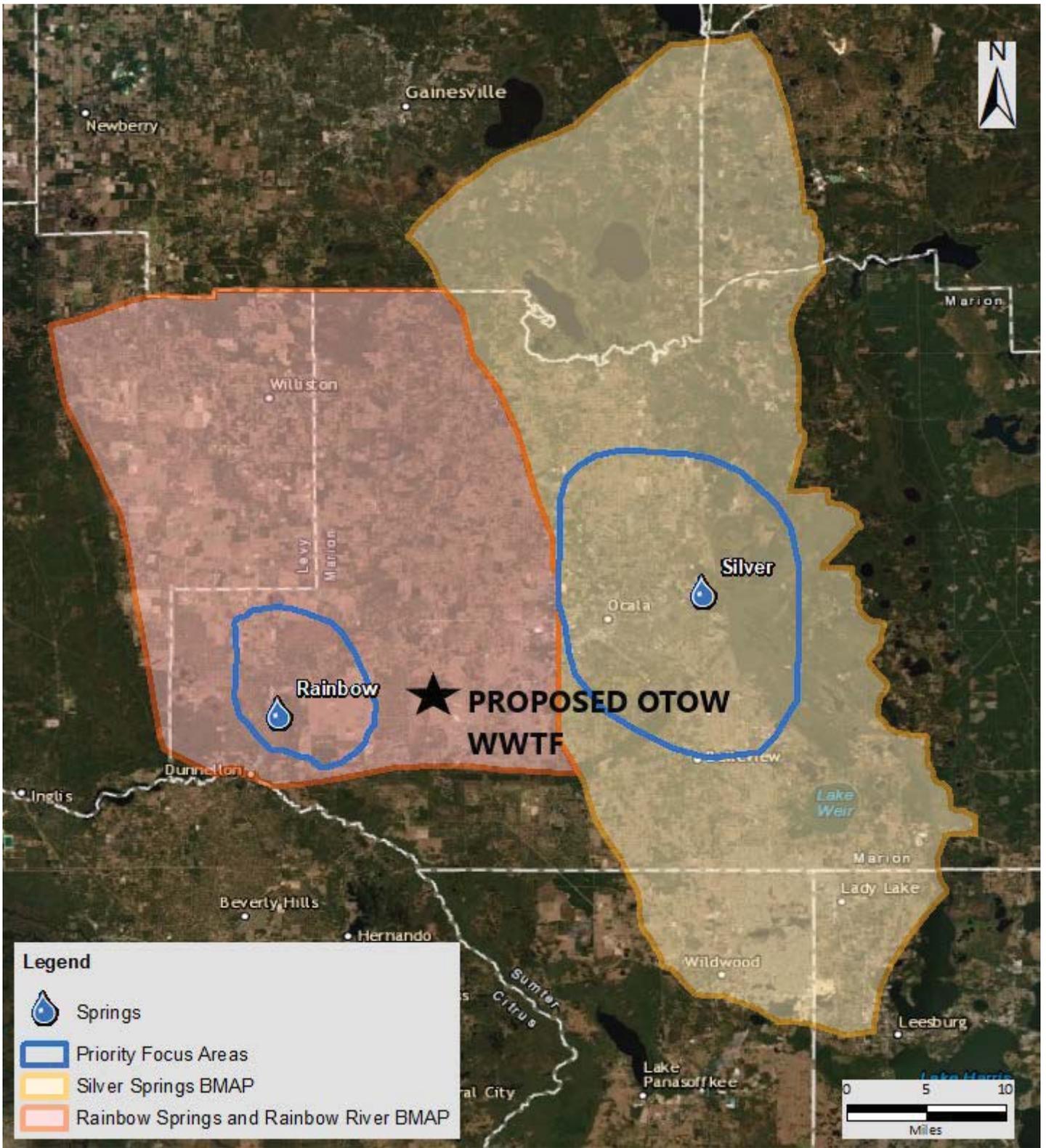
What is the recharge potential (mgd)? None

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**



## ON TOP OF THE WORLD NORTH ADVANCED WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY

### BIOSOLIDS DATA AND PROJECTIONS

Year	Total Nitrogen (%)	Total Solids (%)	WW AADF (MGD)	Dry Tons Solids	TN Applied (lbs)
2019 (thru Aug.)	6.0	1.71	0.650	151	18,089
2019 Projected	6.0	1.71	0.650	226	27,134
2026 Projected (Existing Plant Capacity)	6.0	1.71	1.150	400	48,006
2038 Projected (BMAP goals)	6.0	1.71	1.850	644	77,227
2048 Projected (New Plant Capacity)	6.0	1.71	2.500	870	104,361

### EFFLUENT DATA AND PROJECTIONS

Year	Total Plant Flow (MGD)	PAR Flow (MGD)	Sprayfield Flow (MGD)	TN Conc. (mg/L)	% PAR	% Sprayfield/ Hayfield
2019 (current/thru July)	0.650	0.490	0.160	6.2	75%	25%
2026 Projected (Existing Plant Capacity)	1.150	0.863	0.288	6.2	75%	25%
2038 Projected (BMAP goals)	1.850	1.388	0.463	6.2	75%	25%
2048 Projected (New Plant Capacity)	2.500	1.875	0.625	6.2	75%	25%

Estimating Nitrogen Load Reductions from Springs Restoration Projects

Source Type	% Attenuated	% Leached	Multiplier to use
Wastewater sprayfield/Hayfield	60	40	0.40
Wastewater reuse	75	25	0.25
Wastewater Rapid Infiltration Basin (RIB)	25	75	0.75
Conventional septic system	50	50	0.50
Biosolids (Approximated)	70	30	0.30
Farm fertilizer	80	20	0.20
Lawn fertilizer	80	20	0.20
Livestock on pasture	90	10	0.10

Recharge Rate	Designation	% Recharged	Multiplier to use
>= 10 in/yr	High	90	0.90
3 to 10 in/yr	Medium	50	0.50
0 to 3 in/yr	Low	10	0.10
Discharge	Discharge	0	0.00

LOAD REDUCTION BY CHANGING APPLICATION METHODS

	Current	Anticipated
Annual Average Daily Flow (MGD)	0.650	
TN to PAR/Hayfield (mg/L)	6.2	3.0
% flow to PAR	75%	75%
% flow to Hayfield	25%	25%
TN to Reuse (mg/L)	6.2	3.0
% Biosolids Applied to Site	100%	0%
TN Biosolids Applied to Site (lbs)	27,134	0

Inputs	Value	Unit	Note
Current annual TN input - PAR	2,313.38	lbs/yr	75% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Current annual TN input - Hayfield	1,208.62	lbs/yr	60% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Current annual TN input - Biosolids	8,140.12	lbs/yr	70% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	Approximated
Anticipated annual TN input - PAR	1,119.38	lbs/yr	75% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - Hayfield	584.82	lbs/yr	60% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - Biosolids	-	lbs/yr	70% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	Approximated
WWTF Effluent Load Reduction (lbs/year)	1,636		
Biosolids Load Reduction (lbs/year)	7,326		

Estimating Nitrogen Load Reductions from Springs Restoration Projects

Source Type	% Attenuated	% Leached	Multiplier to use
Wastewater sprayfield/Hayfield	60	40	0.40
Wastewater reuse	75	25	0.25
Wastewater Rapid Infiltration Basin (RIB)	25	75	0.75
Conventional septic system	50	50	0.50
Biosolids (Approximated)	70	30	0.30
Farm fertilizer	80	20	0.20
Lawn fertilizer	80	20	0.20
Livestock on pasture	90	10	0.10

Recharge Rate	Designation	% Recharged	Multiplier to use
>= 10 in/yr	High	90	0.90
3 to 10 in/yr	Medium	50	0.50
0 to 3 in/yr	Low	10	0.10
Discharge	Discharge	0	0.00

LOAD REDUCTION BY CHANGING APPLICATION METHODS

	Projected	Anticipated
Annual Average Daily Flow (MGD)	1.150	
TN to PAR/Hayfield (mg/L)	6.2	3.0
% flow to PAR	75%	75%
% flow to Hayfield	25%	25%
TN to Reuse (mg/L)	6.2	3.0
% Biosolids Applied to Site	100%	0%
TN Biosolids Applied to Site (lbs)	48,006	0

Inputs	Value	Unit	Note
Projected annual TN input - PAR	4,092.90	lbs/yr	75% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Projected annual TN input - Hayfield	2,138.33	lbs/yr	60% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Projected annual TN input - Biosolids	14,401.75	lbs/yr	70% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - PAR	1,980.44	lbs/yr	75% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - Hayfield	1,034.68	lbs/yr	60% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - Biosolids	-	lbs/yr	70% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
WWTF Effluent Load Reduction (lbs/year)	2,895		
Biosolids Load Reduction (lbs/year)	12,962		

Estimating Nitrogen Load Reductions from Springs Restoration Projects

Source Type	% Attenuated	% Leached	Multiplier to use
Wastewater sprayfield/Hayfield	60	40	0.40
Wastewater reuse	75	25	0.25
Wastewater Rapid Infiltration Basin (RIB)	25	75	0.75
Conventional septic system	50	50	0.50
Biosolids (Approximated)	70	30	0.30
Farm fertilizer	80	20	0.20
Lawn fertilizer	80	20	0.20
Livestock on pasture	90	10	0.10

Recharge Rate	Designation	% Recharged	Multiplier to use
>= 10 in/yr	High	90	0.90
3 to 10 in/yr	Medium	50	0.50
0 to 3 in/yr	Low	10	0.10
Discharge	Discharge	0	0.00

LOAD REDUCTION BY CHANGING APPLICATION METHODS

	Projected	Anticipated
Annual Average Daily Flow (MGD)	1.850	
TN to PAR/Hayfield (mg/L)	6.2	3.0
% flow to PAR	75%	75%
% flow to Hayfield	25%	25%
TN to Reuse (mg/L)	6.2	3.0
% Biosolids Applied to Site	100%	0%
TN Biosolids Applied to Site (lbs)	77,227	0

Inputs	Value	Unit	Note
Projected annual TN input - PAR	6,584.24	lbs/yr	75% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Projected annual TN input - Hayfield	3,439.93	lbs/yr	60% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Projected annual TN input - Biosolids	23,168.04	lbs/yr	70% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - PAR	3,185.92	lbs/yr	75% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - Hayfield	1,664.48	lbs/yr	60% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - Biosolids	-	lbs/yr	70% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
WWTF Effluent Load Reduction (lbs/year)	4,656		
Biosolids Load Reduction (lbs/year)	20,851		

Estimating Nitrogen Load Reductions from Springs Restoration Projects

Source Type	% Attenuated	% Leached	Multiplier to use
Wastewater sprayfield/Hayfield	60	40	0.40
Wastewater reuse	75	25	0.25
Wastewater Rapid Infiltration Basin (RIB)	25	75	0.75
Conventional septic system	50	50	0.50
Biosolids (Approximated)	70	30	0.30
Farm fertilizer	80	20	0.20
Lawn fertilizer	80	20	0.20
Livestock on pasture	90	10	0.10

Recharge Rate	Designation	% Recharged	Multiplier to use
>= 10 in/yr	High	90	0.90
3 to 10 in/yr	Medium	50	0.50
0 to 3 in/yr	Low	10	0.10
Discharge	Discharge	0	0.00

LOAD REDUCTION BY CHANGING APPLICATION METHODS

	Projected	Anticipated
Annual Average Daily Flow (MGD)	2.500	
TN to PAR/Hayfield (mg/L)	6.2	3.0
% flow to PAR	75%	75%
% flow to Hayfield	25%	25%
TN to Reuse (mg/L)	6.2	3.0
% Biosolids Applied to Site	100%	0%
TN Biosolids Applied to Site (lbs)	104,361	0

Inputs	Value	Unit	Note
Projected annual TN input - PAR	8,897.62	lbs/yr	75% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Projected annual TN input - Hayfield	4,648.55	lbs/yr	60% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Projected annual TN input - Biosolids	31,308.16	lbs/yr	70% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - PAR	4,305.30	lbs/yr	75% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - Hayfield	2,249.30	lbs/yr	60% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
Anticipated annual TN input - Biosolids	-	lbs/yr	70% Attenuated
Recharge Factor	0.90	Multiplier	From Table
WWTF Effluent Load Reduction (lbs/year)	6,292		
Biosolids Load Reduction (lbs/year)	28,177		





## BLCDD FY 2021 Springs Funding Application

Project	FY 2021				FY 2022				FY 2023			
	Engineering (Design)	Engineering (SDCs)	Land	Totals	Engineering (Design)	Engineering (SDCs)	Construction	Totals	Engineering (Design)	Engineering (SDCs)	Construction	Totals
OTOW North 2.50 MGD AWT WWTF	\$ 500,000			\$ 500,000	\$ 250,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 10,000,000	\$ 10,550,000		\$ 600,000	\$ 20,000,000	\$ 20,600,000
Wastewater Transmission System Improvements	\$ 150,000			\$ 150,000	\$ 50,000	\$ 30,000	\$ 525,000	\$ 605,000		\$ 90,000	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 1,290,000
- Force Main (\$1.875M)												
- Master LS (\$450K)												
Reclaim Transmission System Improvements	\$ 250,000			\$ 250,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 1,250,000		\$ 100,000	\$ 3,000,000	\$ 3,100,000
- 5 MG GST (\$3.8M)												
- HSP (\$600K)												
- Misc (\$600K)												
Land			\$ 445,000	\$ 445,000				\$ -				\$ -
Totals	\$ 900,000	\$ -	\$ 445,000	\$ 1,345,000	\$ 450,000	\$ 430,000	\$ 11,525,000	\$ 12,405,000	\$ -	\$ 790,000	\$ 24,200,000	\$ 24,990,000
<b>BLCDD Local Match Amount</b>	\$ 450,000		\$ 445,000	\$ 895,000	\$ 225,000	\$ 215,000	\$ 5,540,000	\$ 5,980,000	\$ -	\$ 395,000	\$ 12,100,000	\$ 12,495,000
<b>DEP/State Funding Amount</b>	\$ 325,000			\$ 325,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 165,000	\$ 5,485,000	\$ 5,800,000	\$ -	\$ 345,000	\$ 10,600,000	\$ 10,945,000
<b>WMD/CFI Match Amount</b>	\$ 125,000			\$ 125,000	\$ 75,000	\$ 50,000	\$ 500,000	\$ 625,000	\$ -	\$ 50,000	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 1,550,000

**Notes**

- One half of the \$445,000 land acquisition by BLCDD in FY 2021 is credited by DEP in FY 2022 under the Construction column.

FY 2024				FY 2025				Totals				Totals Distributed			
Engineering (Design)	Engineering (SDCs)	Construction	Totals	Engineering (Design)	Engineering (SDCs)	Construction	Totals	Engineering (Design)	Engineering (SDCs)	Construction	Grand Total	BLCDD	FDEP	CFI	
	\$ 300,000	\$ 10,000,000	\$ 10,300,000				\$ -	\$ 750,000	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 40,000,000	\$ 41,950,000	\$ 20,975,000	\$ 20,975,000		
	\$ 30,000	\$ 600,000	\$ 630,000				\$ -	\$ 200,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 2,325,000	\$ 2,675,000	\$ 1,337,500	\$ 1,337,500		
	\$ 100,000	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 1,100,000				\$ -	\$ 400,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 5,000,000	\$ 5,700,000	\$ 2,850,000	\$ 2,850,000		
\$ -	\$ 430,000	\$ 11,600,000	\$ 12,030,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,350,000	\$ 1,650,000	\$ 47,770,000	\$ 50,770,000	\$ 25,385,000	\$ 22,535,000	\$ 2,850,000	
\$ -	\$ 215,000	\$ 5,800,000	\$ 6,015,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 675,000	\$ 825,000	\$ 23,885,000	\$ 25,385,000	\$ 25,385,000			
\$ -	\$ 165,000	\$ 5,300,000	\$ 5,465,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 475,000	\$ 675,000	\$ 21,385,000	\$ 22,535,000		\$ 22,535,000		
\$ -	\$ 50,000	\$ 500,000	\$ 550,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 2,850,000			\$ 2,850,000	





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

This application should be completed and emailed with the appropriate calculations and map to [Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us) by 5:00PM on October 4, 2019.

## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Marion County Utilities

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Bob Titterington, P.E.

Project Manager Address: 11800 S US HWY 441, Belleview, FL 34420

Project Manager Phone Number: (352) 307-4630

Project Manager Email Address: [Bob.Titterington@marioncountyfl.org](mailto:Bob.Titterington@marioncountyfl.org)

## Project General Information

Project Name: Northwest Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility (NWRWWTF) Expansion

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd):    N/A

Land Acquisition (acres):    N/A

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year):    2,017

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year):    N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

The NWRWWTF expansion project is an initiative by the County to improve wastewater treatment and expand the capacity at the existing WWTF. This project consists of constructing a new 0.800 MGD treatment process with biological nutrient removal, two clarifiers, flow splitting structure, a combination sludge holding and equalization basin, new headworks and screening structure, rehabilitation of the existing lift station, construction of filter structure and installation of disc filters, expansion of the existing chlorine contact basin, constructing a new dewatering building, new RAS/ WAS pumping system, new MCC room, new back-up generator, new effluent pump station, and associated yard piping. This facility produces reclaim water and would continue to produce it with this expansion. The existing facility currently treats to an average 46.3 mg/L of Nitrogen as total nitrogen (TN). The new facility will be designed to treat to advanced water treatment (AWT) standards of 5 mg/L of biochemical oxygen demand (BOD), 5 mg/L of total suspended solids (TSS), and 3 mg/L of TN. This will result in a net decrease in nitrogen loading to the springshed. To date, the County has (1) completed an alternatives analysis for expanding and improving the facility, (2) completed construction of the temporary disc filter and (3) hired a consultant to design the expansion. In addition to improving nutrient removal, the increased capacity at the WWTF will allow Marion County to move forward and accomplish package wastewater plant removals and septic to sewer initiatives in the area. The County is currently in design and is anticipating 60% plans and permit by October 2019. Construction is anticipated to begin in the spring of 2020 and continue through the fall of 2022.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: 3/2020

End Date: 11/2022

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Marion

Latitude (decimal degrees) 29.213688

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.252551

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Rainbow

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? approx. 13.5 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Rainbow

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

N/A

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,850,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,850,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,425,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,425,000.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 1,883,032.73	\$ 3,425,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,308,032.73
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 1,883,032.73	\$ 13,700,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 15,583,032.73

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,850,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,850,000.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 1,883,032.73	\$ 6,850,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 8,733,032.73
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 1,883,032.73	\$ 13,700,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 15,583,032.73

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Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

In 2013, the Marion County Land Development Code (LDC) was modified to required WWTFs to meet the following annual average reclaimed water limitation for total nitrogen by 2019: (a) 3.0 mg/L for facilities having a design average daily flow (DADF) equal to or greater than 100,000 gallons per day; or (b) 6.0 mg/L for facilities having a DADF less than 100,000 gallons per day. Marion County has also enacted water conservation, through the LDC, which provides requirements for landscape irrigation with a reclaim water policy, enforceable irrigation schedule, and fertilizer application rates. The County also has several water conservation initiatives including the Toilet Rebate Program, the Efficient Irrigation Audit Program, the Landscape and Irrigation Retrofit Rebate Program, as well as public education outreach which includes Summer Workshops which focus on water conservation and providing water conservation kits to all Marion County Utility customers. This project will reduce nutrient loading to the Rainbow Springs springshed. The springshed has an established total maximum daily loading (TMDL) and adopted basin management action plan (BMAP) as of December 2015. The nitrogen loading from the facility at the Average Daily Flow of 0.064 million gallons per day is +

## Don't forget to submit

Benefit Calculations

Map

Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)

Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)

Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)

Please contact Frank Gargano at  
[Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us)  
with any questions prior to submittal.

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:  
Northwest Regional WWTF (FLA272060)

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Public Access Reclaimed Water

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Reclaimed

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.200

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.064

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

46.3

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

0.600

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

N/A

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

N/A

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

N/A

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

None presently

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

None presently

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

N/A

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

N/A

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

N/A

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

N/A

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

N/A

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%):

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%):

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd):

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd):

Percent Offset (%):

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%):

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

What will be the landuse once purchased?

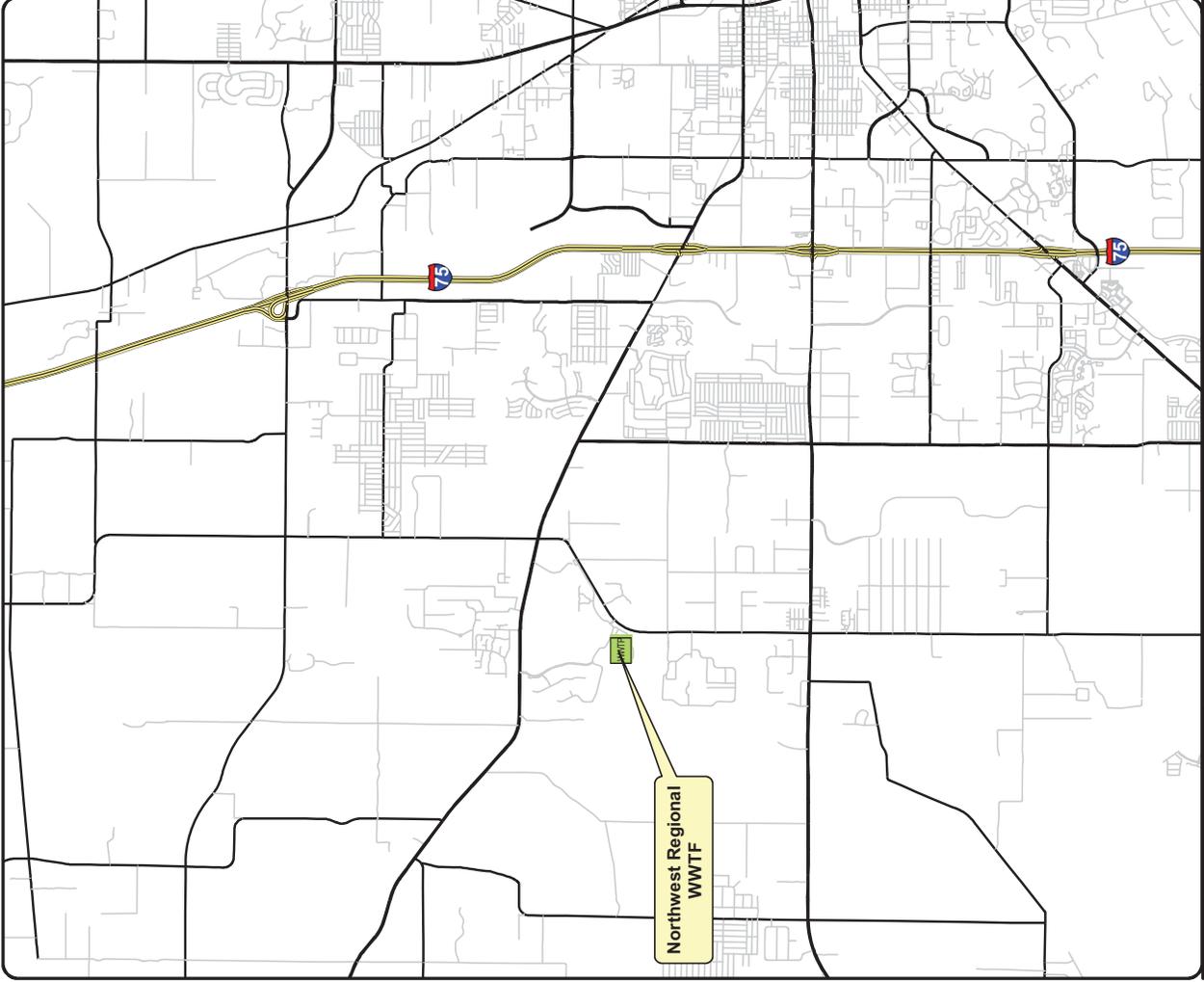
What is the recharge potential (mgd)?

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**



**Morion County Board of  
County Commissioners's  
Utilities Department**

Created By: C. Vrabec  
Date: 09/06/2018

**Northwest Regional  
Wastewater Treatment Facility**

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Northwest Regional WWTF Expansion  
Water Made Available Calculations

Marion County - Northwest Regional WWTF  
FLA272060  
Permitted Cap - 0.200 MGD - Max Annual Avg Daily Flow

	Total Flow per Year (MGD)	Average Flow per Day (MGD)	Percent of Flow going to Reuse	Reuse Application Method	Percent Offset
Northwest Regional	23.44	0.0642	90.2%	Efficient Landscape Irrigation - Golf Course	0.75

FDEP Guidelines

Water Made Available = Projected Reuse Flow X Percent Offset

Projecte Reuse Flow (MGD): 0.0580  
Percent Offset: 0.75

**Water Made Available (MGD): 0.0435**





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

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## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Marion County Utilities

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Bob Titterington

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Project Manager Phone Number: 352-307-4630

Project Manager Email Address: [Bob.Titterington@marioncountyfl.org](mailto:Bob.Titterington@marioncountyfl.org)

## Project General Information

Project Name: Oak Bend/I-75 Water Quality Improvement Project

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd): 0.01247

Land Acquisition (acres):

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year): 1075.5

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year):

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

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Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

Marion County recognizes the vital ecological and economic importance that both Rainbow Springs and the Rainbow River and Silver Springs and the Upper Silver River systems have in the community. These bodies of water are listed as Outstanding Florida Waters. Rainbow Springs and the Rainbow River are classified as high priorities in the Southwest Florida Water Management District's Rainbow River Surface Water Improvement and Management Plan (SWIM) and a basin management action plan (BMAP) was adopted in 2018. These bodies of water are impaired under 62-303(d), Florida Administrative Code, by total nitrogen (TN) as identified in the adopted Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL). With this in mind, the COOPERATOR has identified the Oak Bend/I-75 Water Quality Improvement Project (PROJECT) to help improve the water quality of these impaired water bodies.

The primary objective of the PROJECT is to design and construct a sanitary sewer conveyance system which will remove from service two package plants, one owned by a private entity and one owned by the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT). Equity Lifestyle Properties (ELP) owns and operates the private Oak Bend wastewater treatment facility which serves a community of 242 homes. ELP would like to be a part of the BMAP by decommissioning the package plant and connecting to the Marion County central wastewater collection system. FDOT owns and operates a nearby I-75 rest area that uses a package plant to treat and dispose of wastewater generated on site. FDOT is currently planning a reconstruction of the rest area and would like to connect to the Marion County central wastewater collection system in order to reduce their environmental impact.

The ELP package plant and service area is wholly within the Silver Springs and Upper Silver Springs portion of the BMAP. The FDOT package plant is in the Silver Springs and Inner Silver Springs portion of the BMAP and the service area is half within Silver Springs.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: October 1, 2020

End Date: October 1, 2022

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Marion

Latitude (decimal degrees) 29.090602, 29.063311

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.182858, -82.173837

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Rainbow Springs and Rainbow River; Silver Springs

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 12 miles to Silver Springs, 16

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Yes, Silver Springs springshed.

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

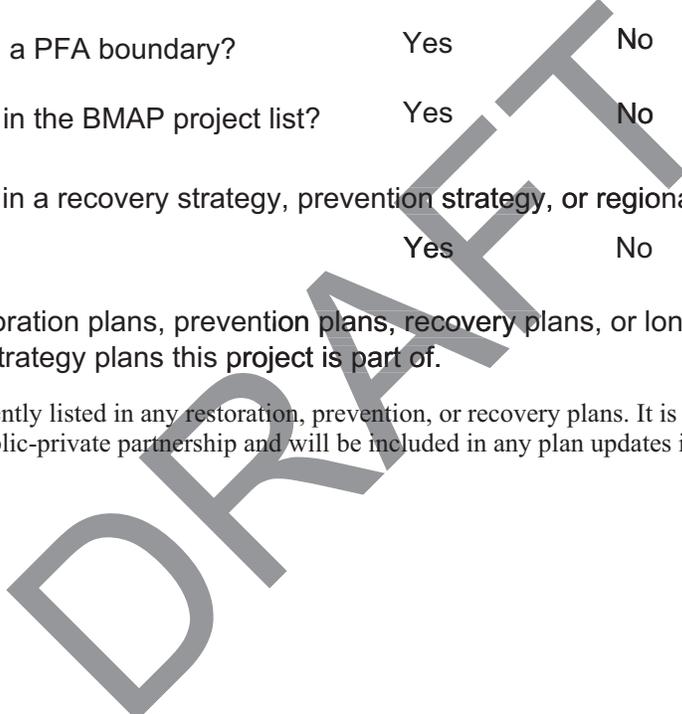
Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

This project is not currently listed in any restoration, prevention, or recovery plans. It is a new project being endeavored under a public-private partnership and will be included in any plan updates in the future.



**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 257,520.00	\$ 1,831,568.00	\$ 2,089,088.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,013,980.00	\$ 1,013,980.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 257,520.00	\$ 2,845,548.00	\$ 3,103,068.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

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Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

In addition to the total nitrogen reduction, this project is anticipated to reduce total phosphorous loading to the Rainbow Springs and Rainbow River and Silver Springs and Upper Silver Springs River systems by up to 237 pounds per year. Marion County has also selected the location of the 6-inch force main in order to maximize future potential septic-to-sewer conversions; approximately 850 residential homes are within one half mile of the proposed pipe route. The Marion County Utility Department has mandatory connection ordinances (Marion County Land Development Code, Section 6.14.2) in place, which are required when new sewer connections are made available. The project will also be identified in Marion County's wastewater master plan which is currently in the planning stages of development.

**Don't forget to submit**  
Benefit Calculations  
Map

Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)  
Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)  
Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)

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with any questions prior to submittal.

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

Oak Run Wastewater Treatment Facility

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Public access reuse

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Reclaimed

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

1.6

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.9

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

5

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

0.01247

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

Impact fees will be charged on a per ERC basis to residential property owners and FDOT. The residential property owners within Oak Bend will not be responsible for any additional connection costs; FDOT will be responsible for connecting their rest area to the new collection system.

Sewer charges for collection system and treatment are \$3,844 per ERC; an ERC is 200 gallons per day.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

Easement and/or land acquisition is required for the transmission/collection system and lift stations.

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

6" diameter - 10,400 LF

8" diameter - 5,200 LF

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%):

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%):

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd):

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd):

Percent Offset (%):

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%):

DRAFT

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

What will be the landuse once purchased?

What is the recharge potential (mgd)?

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

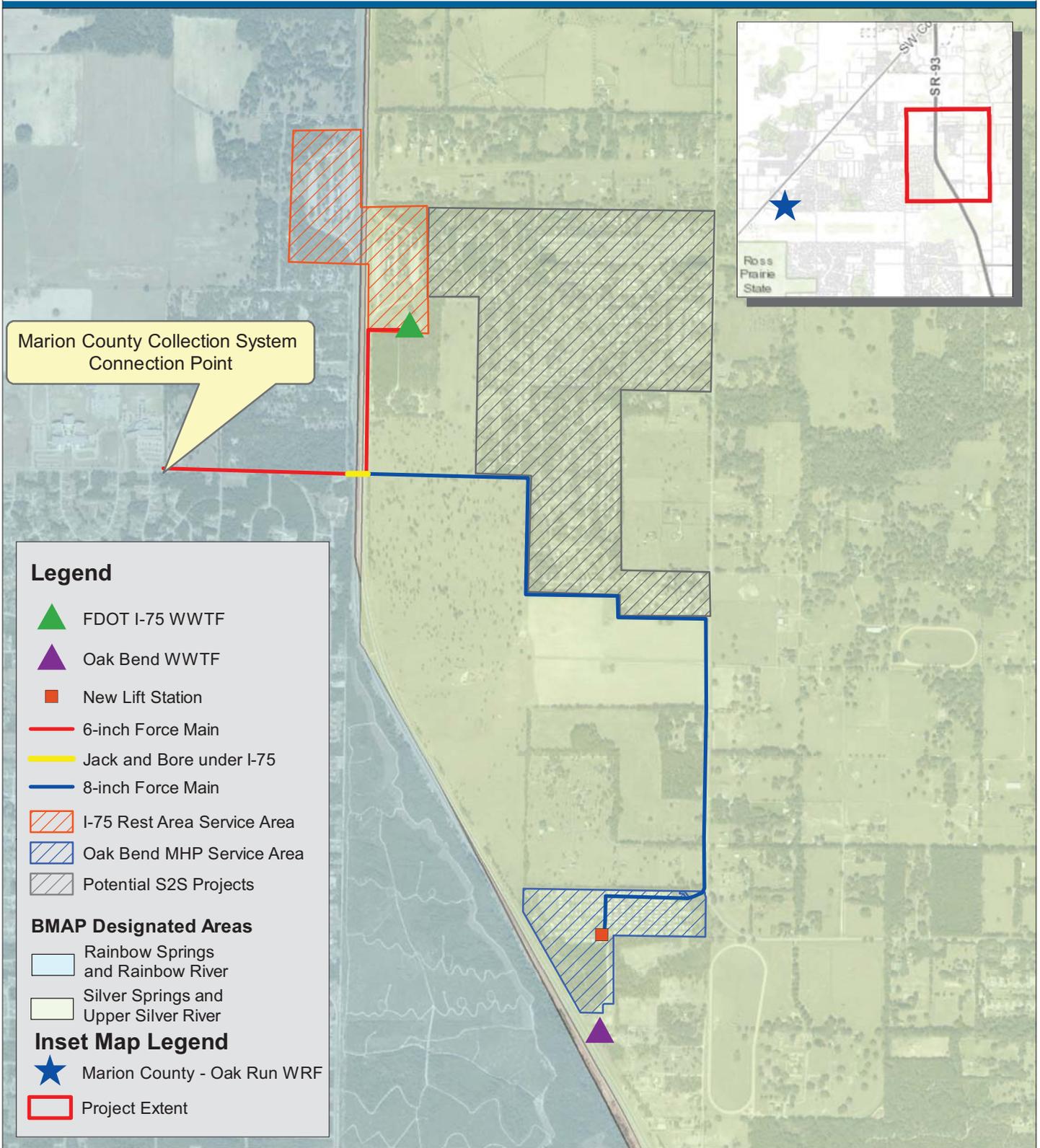
Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**

Figure 1

Oak Bend/I-75 Water Quality Improvement Project



Marion County Collection System Connection Point

**Legend**

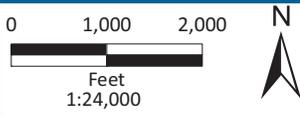
- ▲ FDOT I-75 WWTF
- ▲ Oak Bend WWTF
- New Lift Station
- 6-inch Force Main
- Jack and Bore under I-75
- 8-inch Force Main
- ▨ I-75 Rest Area Service Area
- ▨ Oak Bend MHP Service Area
- ▨ Potential S2S Projects

**BMAP Designated Areas**

- Rainbow Springs and Rainbow River
- Silver Springs and Upper Silver River

**Inset Map Legend**

- ★ Marion County - Oak Run WRF
- ▭ Project Extent



**Oak Bend/I-75 Water Quality Improvement Project  
Benefit Calculations - Nutrient Reduction**

Package Plant	Average Daily Flow (gpd)	Average Nitrogen (mg/L)	Nitrogen (lb/gal)	Nitrogen (lb/yr)	Receiving WWTF	WWTF Nitrogen (mg/L)	WWTF Nitrogen (lb/gal)	WWTF Nitrogen (lb/yr)
Oak Bend	7,397	20.000	0.0001669	450.65	Oak Run	5.870	0.0000490	132.27
FDOT	25,016	20.000	0.0001669	1524.04	Oak Run	5.870	0.0000490	447.31

Effluent Treatment Method	Percentage of Effluent per Treatment Method	Effluent Attenuation Factor	Recharge Designation	Recharge Factor
Reuse	51.3%	0.25	High	0.9
RIBs	48.7%	0.75	High	0.9

**FDEP Guidelines**

Load Reduction by Upgrading Wastewater Plant Treatment

**Reduction in Load due to Improved Treatment [lbs/yr Total Nitrogen (TN)] =**

$$(\text{Original annual TN input} - \text{Anticipated annual TN input after upgrade}) \times \text{effluent treatment application method attenuation factor} \times \text{effluent application area recharge factor}$$

Package Plant	Original Annual TN Input	Anticipated Annual TN Input	Effluent Attenuation Factor	Recharge Factor	Reduction in TN Load
Oak Bend	450.65	132.27	0.25 0.75	0.9	141.41
FDOT	1524.04	447.31	0.25 0.75	0.9	478.23
<b>Total (lbs/yr)</b>					<b>619.64</b>

Load Reduction by Changing Land Application Method

**Reduction in Load Due to Change in Land Application Method (lbs/yr TN) =**

$$(\text{Current input of N from RIBs} \times 0.75 \times 0.90) - ((\text{Anticipated input of N to RIBs} \times 0.75 \times 0.90) + [\text{Anticipated input of N to Reuse} \times 0.25 \times 0.90])$$

Current input of N from RIBs: 1974.69  
Anticipated input of N to RIBs: 282.2513681  
Anticipated input of N to Reuse: 297.3202296

**Reduction in Load Due to Change in Land Application Method (lbs/yr TN) = 1075.499**

**FDOT I-75 Rest Area WWTF  
(FLA012716)**

Typical package plant effluent TP	7.8 mg/L
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Reported TP (Oak Run WRF)	5.4 mg/L
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TP	738628 mg / day 1.6 lb / day 594.4 lb / year
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TP	511358 mg / day 1.1 lb / day 411.5 lb / year
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Average TP perc from RIBs = 75%*	446 lb / year
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Average TP for AWT = 75%*	133.7 lb / year
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\* from NSILT

<b>Reduction of TP</b>	<b>183 lb / year</b>
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**Oak Bend WWTF  
(FLA010693)**

Typical package plant effluent TP	7.8 mg/L
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Reported TP (Oak Run WRF)	5.4 mg/L
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TP	218494 mg / day 0.5 lb / day 175.8 lb / year
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TP	151265 mg / day 0.3 lb / day 121.7 lb / year
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Average N Attenuation = 25%	132 lb / year
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Average N Attenuation = 47.175%*	64.3 lb / year
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\* from NSILT

<b>Reduction of TP</b>	<b>54 lb / year</b>
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<b>Total Reduction of TP</b>	<b>237 lb / year</b>
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Water Made Available =  
Projected Reuse Flow X Percent Offset

Package Plant	Total Flow per Year (gpd)	Average Flow per Day (gpd)	Percent of Flow going to Reuse	Reuse Application Method	Percent Offset	Water Saved (MGD)
Oak Bend	2,700,000	7,397.26	51.3%	Efficient Landscape Irrigation - Golf Course	0.75	0.00285
FDOT	9,131,000	25,016.44	51.3%	Efficient Landscape Irrigation - Golf Course	0.75	0.00963
<b>Total</b>						<b>0.01247</b>









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**Applicant Information**

Entity Name: Florida Governmental Utility Authority

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Paul Marraffino

Project Manager Address: 280 Wikiva Springs Road, Suite 2050, Longwood, FL 32779

Project Manager Phone Number: 352 465 4120 / 352 409 6520

Project Manager Email Address: paulm@westnet.com / wfontaine@govmser.com

**Project General Information**

Project Name: Rainbow River - Rio Vista Septic-to-Sewer Project

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

**Project Benefit**

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd):    N/A

Land Acquisition (acres):    N/A

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year):    3551

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year):    N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

FGUA (APPLICANT) recognizes the vital ecological and economic importance that Rainbow Springs and the Rainbow River has in the community. These bodies of water are listed as Outstanding Florida Waters and are classified as high priorities in the Surface Water Improvement and Management Plan (SWIM). A basin management action plan has been updated. These bodies of water are impaired under FAC 62-303(d) by total nitrogen (TN) as identified in the adopted Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL). With this in mind, the APPLICANT has identified the Rainbow River and Rio Vista Septic to Sewer Project (PROJECT) to help improve the water quality of these impaired water bodies. The primary objective of the PROJECT is to design and construct a sanitary sewer system which will remove from service approximately 333 septic tanks from the associated single family residential lots. The septic tanks contribute to the total nitrogen (TN) impairment of Rainbow Springs and the Rainbow River. The removal of the septic tanks will result in a measurable reduction in the identified pollutant sources. This is quantified in the Total Nutrient Reduction section. This project is dependent on the rerating of the City of Dunnellon's WRF to 0.50 MGD. This project is currently in progress to obtain rerating. This is part of the Rainbow Springs decommissioning project.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: Nov 2021

End Date: November 2022

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Marion

Latitude (decimal degrees) 29.073

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.439

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Rainbow Springs

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 2.0 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Rainbow Springs

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

This PROJECT is part of the SWIM and BMAP program and will remove approximately 333 septic tanks from service within the Rainbow Springs BMAP area. It is estimated that each single family residence produces 23.7 lbs. of TN per year and each septic tank is able to remove approximately 50% of the TN. This results in a total of approximately 3551 lbs. of TN / year flowing to the Rainbow Springs watershed from the 333 single family lots and associated septic tanks. The City of Dunnellon's WWTP discharges effluent with an average TN concentration of 2.975 mg/L. If the 66,600 gpd from the 333 residential homes are diverted to the City's WWTP, then the discharge of TN is reduced to 137 lbs. of TN/Year. The construction of a conveyance system to allow these areas to connect to central sewer will remove 3,415 lbs./ year of total nitrogen from the Rainbow Springs BMAP area.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,000,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,000,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,000,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,000,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

The City of Dunnellon Comprehensive Plan calls for environmental protection of the Rainbow River and support of SWFWMD plans in both their Aquifer Protection Element and the Conservation Element.

The City of Dunnellon developed a Water and Wastewater Master Plan with the support of Kimley-Horn Engineering in 2015. This plan supports the improvement and expansion of the Dunnellon Water and Wastewater System. This plan included a long range development of a regional wastewater plant which would service the area in 20 years and would have the capacity to accept the wastewater from a these package plants as well as the larger community as it grows. Marion County's Comprehensive Plan also calls for the protection of its Springs in its Comprehensive Plan.

FDEP BMAP and SWFWMD SWIM plans both call for restoration of the Rainbow Springs and River area through improved wastewater systems. BMAP Project B053 specifically addresses this project.

## Don't forget to submit

Benefit Calculations

Map

Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)

Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)

Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)

Please contact Frank Gargano at  
[Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us)  
with any questions prior to submittal.

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

Dunnellon Wastewater Plant

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Secondary

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Sprayfield

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.335 mgd

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

.0170 mgd

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

2.975 mg/L

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

.0666 mgd

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

The grant will include grinder stations and gravity sewer lines from the residences. There will be no hookup charges planned for the current residences.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

N/A

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

154 GRINDER STATIONS

5,000 LF of FORCE MAIN

10" PVC

25,000 LF of GRAVITY SEWER

8" PVC

20,000 LF of LOW PRESSURE FORCE MAIN

2", 4", & 6" PVC

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

333

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

0

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

N/A

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

0

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

Florida Governmental Utility Authority  
Wastewater System Mandatory Connection Policies

3. Mandatory Connection to the FGUA System.

a. OSTDS owners shall connect to the Utility when service is available within the following time periods:

i. If the OSTDS is properly functioning, the OSTDS owner must connect to 

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

N/A

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

N/A

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd): N/A

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd): N/A

Percent Offset (%): N/A

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%): N/A

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

N/A

What will be the landuse once purchased?

N/A

What is the recharge potential (mgd)? N/A

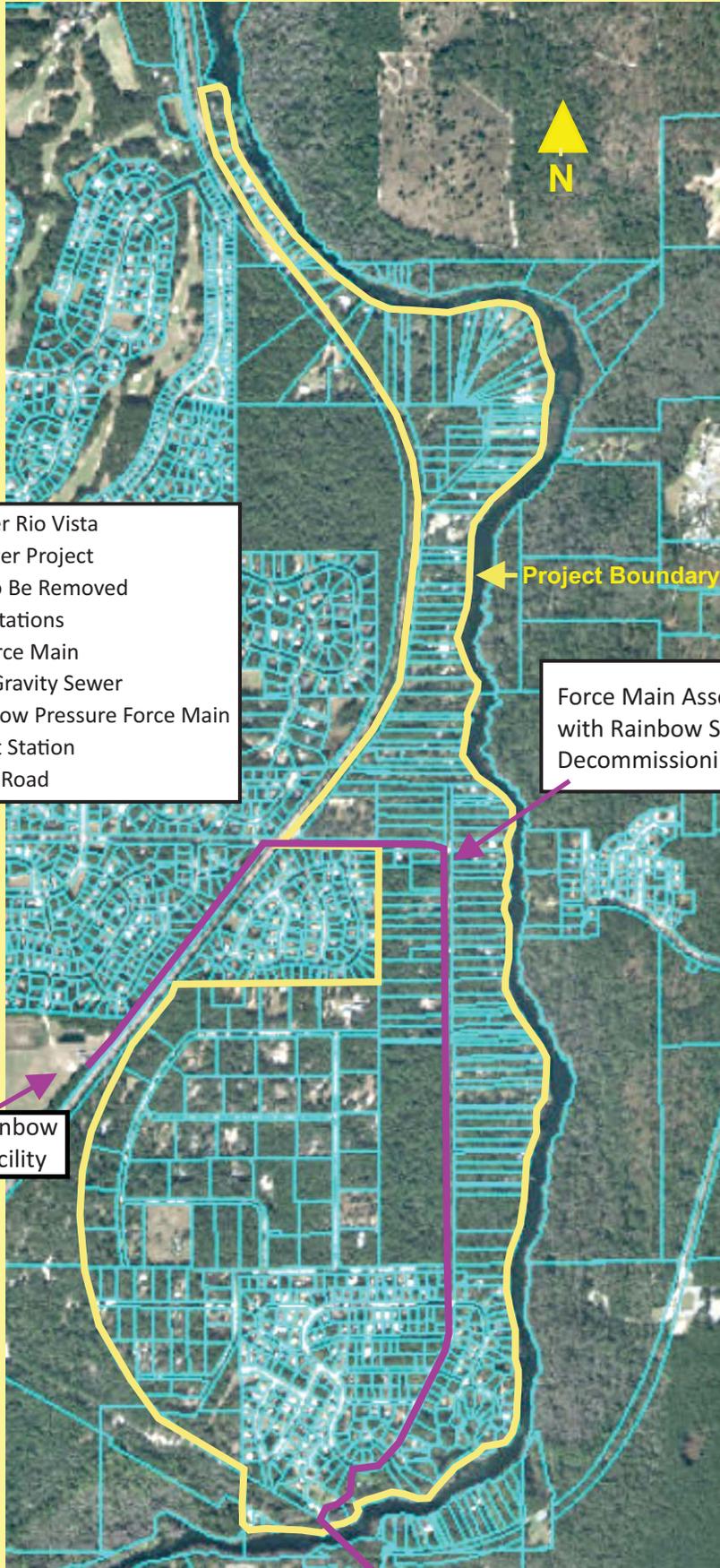
Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**

# Rainbow River Rio Vista Septic To Sewer Project



Rainbow River Rio Vista  
Septic to Sewer Project  
333 OSTDs To Be Removed

- 154 Grinder Stations
- 5000 LF of Force Main
- 25,000 LF of Gravity Sewer
- 20,000 LF of Low Pressure Force Main
- 1 Regional Lift Station
- 9.47 miles of Road

← Project Boundary

Force Main Associated  
with Rainbow Springs  
Decommissioning Project

Current Rainbow  
Springs Facility

To Dunnellon WRF



**Rainbow River - Rio Vista Septic To Sewer Project**

<b>Calculate Current Septic System Base Load</b>	
Number of Septic Tanks	333
Typical Septic TN Input To Environment (lb/yr)	23.7
Typical Septic Attenuation	0.5
Recharge Factor (0.9,0.5,0.1, or 0)	0.9
Individual Septic Tank Load (lbs)	10.665
<b>Total Septic Sytem TN Load To Groundwater (lbs)</b>	<b>3551</b>

<b>Calculated New System Load At WRF</b>	
Number of Septic Tanks	333
Input From Septic Systems To Be Connected	23.7
% TN Remaining after treatment 7%	0.0867
Attenuation factor sprayfield	0.4
Recharge Factor	0.5
Load Per Septic Tank Inflow (lbs)	0.410958
<b>System Reduced Load (lbs)</b>	<b>137</b>

**Reduction in Load to Springshed (lbs/yr)      3415**

<b>Cost Effectiveness Calculation For 30 Year Period</b>	
Project Cost	\$ 10,000,000
Cost Per lb Reduced TN	\$ 2,929
<b>Cost per lb reduced TN/30 years</b>	<b>\$ 97.6</b>

**WRF TN Performance**

<b>Calculate Base Load</b>	
WWTP Annual Average TN Aoncentration (mg/L)	2.975
Average Actual Flow in mgd	0.0666
Conveersion	8.345
Recharge Factor	0.5
Attenuation factor - sprayfield	0.4
days in year	365
<b>Original Individual Sprayfield (lbs/year)</b>	<b>121</b>







# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

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## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Florida Governmental Utility Authority

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Paul Marraffino

Project Manager Address: 19544 SW 82nd Place Road, Dunnellon FL 34432

Project Manager Phone Number: 352 465 4120

Project Manager Email Address: [paulm@westnet.com](mailto:paulm@westnet.com)

## Project General Information

Project Name: Burkitt Road Septic to Sewer Project

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd):    N/A

Land Acquisition (acres):    N/A

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year):    113

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year):    N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

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Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

The FGUA (APPLICANT) recognizes the vital ecological and economic importance that Rainbow Springs and the Rainbow River has in the community. These bodies of water are listed as Outstanding Florida Waters and are classified as high priorities in the Surface Water Improvement and Management Plan (SWIM). A basin management action plan has noted that the river requires efforts to reduce the amount of nitrates in the aquifer that are flowing into the springs. These bodies of water are impaired under FAC 62-303(d) by total nitrogen (TN) as identified in the adopted Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL). With this in mind, the APPLICANT has identified the Burkett Road Septic to Sewer Project (PROJECT) to help improve the water quality of these impaired water bodies. The primary objective of the PROJECT is to design and construct a sanitary sewer system which will remove from service approximately 11 septic tanks from the associated single family residential lots. The septic tanks contribute to the total nitrogen (TN) impairment of Rainbow Springs and the Rainbow River. The removal of the septic tanks will result in a measurable reduction in the identified pollutant sources. This is quantified in the Total Nutrient Reduction section. This project is dependent on the rerating of the City of Dunnellon's WRF to 0.50 MGD.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: November 2020

End Date: November 2021

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Marion

Latitude (decimal degrees) 29.058

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.446

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Rainbow Springs

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ?

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. 3.0 miles

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

This PROJECT is a part of both the BMAP and SWIM program and will remove approximately 11 septic tanks from service within the Rainbow Springs BMAP area. It is estimated that each single family residence produces 23.7 lbs. of TN per year and each septic tank is able to remove approximately 50% of the TN. This results in a total of approximately 117 lbs. of TN / year flowing to the Rainbow Springs watershed from the 11 single family lots and associated septic tanks. The City of Dunnellon's WWTP discharges effluent with an average TN concentration of 2.975 mg/L. If the 2,200 gpd from the 11 residential homes are diverted to the WWTP then the discharge of TN is reduced to 5 lb. of TN/year. The construction of a conveyance system to allow these areas to connect to central sewer will remove 113 lbs./ year of total nitrogen from the Rainbow Springs BMAP area.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 350,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 350,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 350,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 350,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

The City of Dunnellon water and sewer enterprise was approximately \$12.3 M in debt when it sold the utility to FGUA and the user fees are one of the highest in the region. Existing enterprise funds are currently not sufficient to support a matching contribution of any kind. However, FGUA remains dedicated to enhancing water quality and follow through with BMAP commitments should the project funding be granted.

## Don't forget to submit

Benefit Calculations

Map

Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)

Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)

Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)

Please contact Frank Gargano at  
[Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us)  
with any questions prior to submittal.

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

Dunnellon Wastewater Plant

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Secondary

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Sprayfield

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.350

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.170

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

2.975

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

0.002200

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

The grant applicaation includes hookups for the home owners. There would be no hookup fees for existing homeowners.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

N/A

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

2600 feet of low pressure force main

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

11

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

0

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

N/A

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

0

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

Marion County Land Development code Division 14 Section 6.14.(2)(b) 2. B. (c) states

2.New construction in the Urban or Rural area shall connect to a central sewer system if a sewer line from a decentralized sewer system with available capacity is within a connection distance of 500 feet and permission is obtained by the owner/operators of the decentralized system (c)Existing single family or duplex +

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

N/A

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

N/A

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd): N/A

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd): N/A

Percent Offset (%): N/A

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%): N/A

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

N/A

What will be the landuse once purchased?

N/A

What is the recharge potential (mgd)? N/A

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**

# Burkitt Road Septic To Sewer Area



**Burkitt Road Septic to Sewer Project**

<b>Calculate Current Septic Tank Base Load</b>	
<b>Number of Septic Tanks</b>	<b>11</b>
Typical septic TN input to environment (lb/yr)	23.7
Typical Septic Attenuation	0.5
Recharge Factor (0.9,0.5,0.1,or 0)	0.9
Individual Septic Tank Load (lbs)	10.665
<b>Total Septic System Load to Groundwater (lb/yr)</b>	<b>117</b>

<b>Calculate New System Load In WRF</b>	
<b>Number of Septic Tanks</b>	<b>11</b>
Input From Septic Systems To Be Connected	23.7
% TN Remaining after treatment 7%	0.0867
Attenuation Factor Sprayfield	0.4
Recharge Factor	0.5
Load per Septic Tank (lbs)	0.410958
<b>System Reduced Load (lb/yr)</b>	<b>5</b>

<b>Reduction In Load To Springshed (lb/yr)</b>	<b>113</b>
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<b>Cost Effectivnes Calculation For 30 year period</b>	
<b>Project Cost</b>	\$ <b>350,000</b>
Cost Per lb Reduced TN	\$ 3,103
<b>Cost Per lb Reduced TN/30 years</b>	\$ <b>103.4</b>

**WRF TN Performance**

<b>Calculate Base Load</b>	
WWTP annual average TN concentration mg/L	2.975
Average Flow in mgd actual	0.0022
Conversion	8.345
Recharge Factor	0.5
Attenuation factor - sprayfield days in year	0.4
	365
<b>Original Sprayfield (lbs/yr)</b>	<b>4</b>





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

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## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Florida Governmental Utility Authority

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Paul Marraffino

Project Manager Address: 280 Wikiva Springs Road, Suite 2050, Longwood, FL 32779

Project Manager Phone Number: 352 465 4120 / 352 409 6520

Project Manager Email Address: paulm@westnet.com / wfontaine@govmsr.com

## Project General Information

Project Name: 180th Ave Wastewater Package Plant Abatement Project

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd): .0001

Land Acquisition (acres): N/A

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year): 284

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year): N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

Currently a forcemain, approximately 35,000 feet in length, is being designed and built on SW 180th Ave Road in Marion County from a new lift station at the Juliette Falls community to the existing Dunnellon wastewater plant. This project will develop up to three new lift stations and make connections from three communities to decommission their current wastewater package plants and deliver the raw sewage to the Dunnellon plant via the 180th Ave forcemain. The package plant systems that will be removed currently serve 1. The Dunnellon High School / Elementay School system, 2. the Rainbow Springs State Park Campground and float facility and 3. The Sateke Village community.

The Dunnellon WRF discharges effluent with an average TN concentration of 2.975 mg/L. If the 24,800 gpd from the three package plants are diverted to the Dunnellon WRF, then the discharge of TN is reduced to 45 lbs. of TN/Year. The construction of a conveyance system to allow these areas to connect to central sewer will remove 284 lbs./ year of total nitrogen from the Rainbow Springs BMAP area.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: November 2020

End Date: Sept 2021

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Marion

Latitude (decimal degrees) 29.088

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.420

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Rainbow Springs

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 7350 feet

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Rainbow Springs

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

FDEP has developed the Silver Springs and Upper Silver River and Rainbow Springs Group and Rainbow River Basin Management Action Plan 2018. The BMAP lists item R054 for Package Plant Abatement. This item specifically refers to the goals of this grant application.

FGUA received a grant in 2018 to design and construct the Juliette Falls to Dunnellon WWTP forcemain. The three package plants that will have their raw sewage sent to the Dunnellon WWTP is a natural addition to this system and will serve the goals of the BMAP.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 847,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 847,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 847,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 847,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

The City of Dunnellon Comprehensive Plan calls for environmental protection of the Rainbow River and support of SWFWMD plans in both their Aquifer Protection Element and the Conservation Element.

The City of Dunnellon developed a Water and Wastewater Master Plan with the support of Kimley-Horn Engineering in 2015. This plan supports the improvement and expansion of the Dunnellon Water and Wastewater System. This plan included a long range development of a regional wastewater plant which would service the area in 20 years and would have the capacity to accept the wastewater from a these package plants as well as the larger community as it grows.

Marion County's Comprehensive Plan also calls for the protection of its Springs in its Comprehensive Plan.

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## Don't forget to submit

Benefit Calculations

Map

Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)

Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)

Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)

Please contact Frank Gargano at  
[Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us)  
with any questions prior to submittal.

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

Dunnellon WRF

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Secondary

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Sprayfield

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.335

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

.0170

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

2.975

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

0.0248

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

This grant will create a lift station at the current location of each of the three communities wastewater collection points. This lift station and the associated pipe to connect to the 180th Ave forcemain will be paid by this grant. There will be no capital cost to each community.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

N/A

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

PVC Forcemain Highschool	2,960	4" PVC
PVC Forcemain Camp ground	2,200	2" PVC
PVC Forcemain Sateke Village	1,850	2" PVC
Forcemain Total	7,010	feet



# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

N/A

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

N/A

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

N/A

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

N/A

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

Florida Governmental Utility Authority  
Wastewater System Mandatory Connection Policies

### 3. Mandatory Connection to the FGUA System.

a. OSTDS owners shall connect to the Utility when service is available within the following time periods:

i. If the OSTDS is properly functioning, the OSTDS owner must connect to

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

.0248

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

6.45

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd): N/A

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd): N/A

Percent Offset (%): N/A

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%): N/A

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

N/A

What will be the landuse once purchased?

N/A

What is the recharge potential (mgd)? N/A

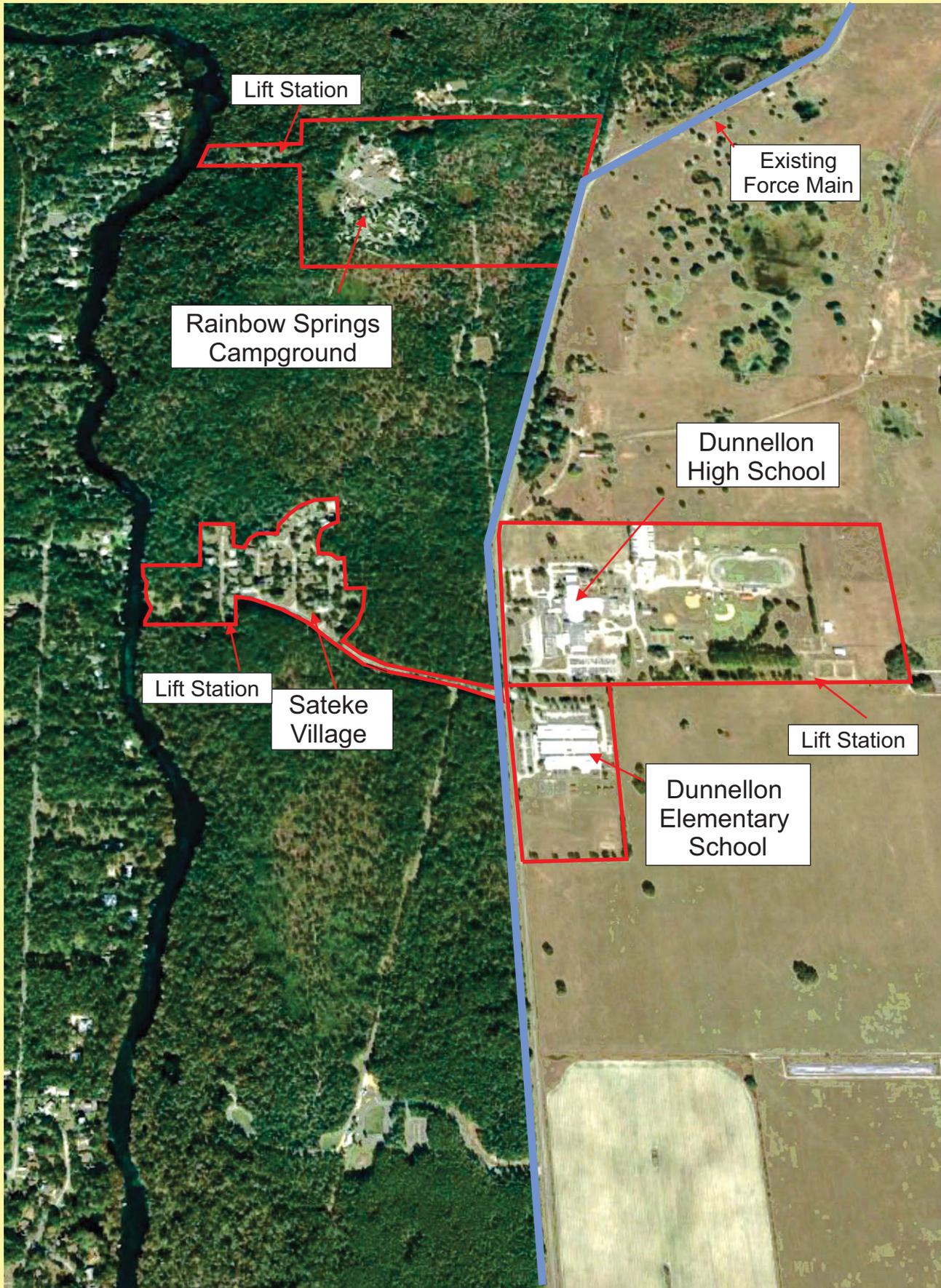
Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**

# 180th Ave Package Plant Abatement Area Plan



**180th Ave Wastewater Package Plant Abatement Project Worksheet**

**180th Ave Three Package Plant Composited Profile**

Composite Three Package Plant Profile	
Flow	TN Rate
0.0248	6.45
mgd	mg/L

**Current Dunnellon Plant TN Load**

TN Rate	2.975	mg/L
Flow	0.017	mg/day
Conversion factor mg/L to lbs/gallon	8.345	
Recharge Factor	0.5	
Attenuation Factor	0.4	Sprayfield
Days in year	365	
<b>TN a year lbs</b>	<b>31</b>	

**Three Package Plant Combined Base Load Calculation**

Package Plant annual average TN in mg/L	6.45	
Annual average flow	0.0248	
Conversion factor	8.345	
Recharge Factor	0.9	
Attenuation Factor	0.75	RIB
Days in year	365	
<b>Original Load of TN to groundwater</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>lbs</b>

**New Load Diverted From Package Plants**

TN Rate	2.975	mg/L
Flow	0.0248	mg/day
Conversion factor	8.345	
Recharge Factor	0.5	
Attenuation Factor	0.4	Sprayfield
Days in year	365	
<b>New Load of TN a year</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>lbs</b>

**TN Reduction**      **284**      **lbs/yr**

**Cost Effectiveness**

Project Cost	\$	847,000
Cost/lb TN	\$	2,983.11
Cost/lb TN 30 years	\$	99.44







# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

This application should be completed and emailed with the appropriate calculations and map to [Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us) by 5:00PM on October 4, 2019.

## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Hernando County Utilities Department (HCUD)

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Jared Waring

Project Manager Address: 15365 Cortez Boulevard, Brooksville FL, 34613

Project Manager Phone Number: (352) 754-4037 extension 35116

Project Manager Email Address: [JWaring@co.hernando.fl.us](mailto:JWaring@co.hernando.fl.us)

## Project General Information

Project Name: Hernando County Airport WRF Total Nitrogen Reduction

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd):    NA

Land Acquisition (acres):    NA

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year):    16,212

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year):    0

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

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Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

#### Airport Water Reclamation Facility Denitrification

Weeki Wachee Springs is an outstanding Florida spring that is a major attraction and destination for nearly 400,000 visitors every year. The spring is currently impaired for nitrate and the concentrations have been steadily increasing over the last several decades. As a result, the spring has experienced degradation in water quality and clarity through the growth of unwanted algae and this has subsequently led to other negative impacts to the sensitive aquatic ecosystem.

As part of the 2016 Florida Aquifer and Springs Protection Act, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection has developed a Basin Management Action Plan (BMAP) for the Weeki Wachee Springs and River. The BMAP was established based on a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) of nitrogen and has also established additional limits for developments within the Priority Focus Area (PFA). One limit imposed is on the effluent concentration of nitrogen released from a wastewater reclamation facility (WRF) to be no more than 3 milligrams per liter (mg/l) when discharging to groundwater. The Airport WRF, one of Hernando County's sub-regional facilities, lies within the Priority Focus Area and is not currently designed to meet the limit of 3 mg/l.

This project will design, permit, and construct necessary upgrades to the Airport WRF with the treatment processes necessary to achieve the effluent limit of 3mg/l total nitrogen. The total cost of required improvements is anticipated to be \$10,000,000. Hernando County Utilities Department is seeking \$7,500,000 from FDEP Springs funding to assist with compliance.

This project is in final design now and is scheduled to begin construction this year.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: May 1, 2020

End Date: December 31, 2021

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Hernando

Latitude (decimal degrees) 28.454430

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.482240

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Weeki Wachee

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 7.22 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Weeki Wachee

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

This project is included in the Weeki Wachee BMAP. This project is required to meet advanced wastewater treatment for total nitrogen per the BMAP. It is also required to remove the Spring Hill WRF from service.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 7,500,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 7,500,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,500,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,500,000.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,000,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 10,000,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

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Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

This project was ranked the second highest priority of all projects considered last year by the Springs Coast Management Committee and Springs Coast Steering Committee, SWFWMD. The project is on track to be begin construction this year, 2020.

**Don't forget to submit**

**Benefit Calculations**

**Map**

**Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)**

**Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)**

**Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)**

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**with any questions prior to submittal.**

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:  
NA. This is a WWTF project. The Airport WRF will be upgraded through this project.

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

AWT for TN removal, 3 mg/l, will be provided by this project. Current 12 mg/l nit<sup>+</sup>

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Rapid Infiltration Basin (RIBs)

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

3.5

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

1.543

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

3

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

~0.9

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

Not applicable for this project

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

None. This project is completely within a WRF site.

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

0

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

0

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

NA

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

NA

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

Weeki Wachee BMAP

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

NA

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

NA

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%):

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%):

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd):

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd):

Percent Offset (%):

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%):

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

What will be the landuse once purchased?

What is the recharge potential (mgd)?

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**



# Airport Water Reclamation Facility

## Legend



WRF Location



WRF Parcel Boundary



### Calculate Load Reduction from Airport WRF Denitrification Upgrades

Base load 6 mg/l TN

Flow 02.63 MGD (Flow diverted from Spring Hill WRF)

New load 3 mg/l TN

Project Cost \$10,000,000

30 year life cycle

### **Calculate TN Reduction**

$(6-3) \text{ mg/l} \times 8.34 \times 2.63 \text{ MGD} \times 0.9 \times 0.75 \times 365 \text{ days/yr} = 16,212 \text{ lb TN/yr reduced}$

### **Calculate 30 Year Cost**

$\$10,000,000 / (16,212 \times 30) = \$20.56/\text{lb TN removed}$





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

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## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Hernando County Utilities Department

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Jared Waring

Project Manager Address: 15365 Cortez Boulevard, Brooksville FL 34613

Project Manager Phone Number: (352) 540-6773

Project Manager Email Address: [JWaring@Hernandocounty.us](mailto:JWaring@Hernandocounty.us)

## Project General Information

Project Name: Hernando Co Airport WWTF Full Expansion

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd):    6

Land Acquisition (acres):    0

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year):    14,137

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year):    0

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?                      Yes                      No

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Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

Expand the Airport WRF from a permitted capacity of 3.5 MGD to 6 million gallon per day (MGD). This expansion is required and critical path to take the Spring Hill (Osowaw) contact stabilization WWTP offline. The Spring Hill WWTP has out of date technology that does not nitrify nor denitrify wastewater. Effluent from Spring Hill WWTP currently discharges to groundwater in the Weeki Wachee PFA.

This project consists of design, permitting, and construction of aeration basins, anoxic basins, and filters and other assets necessary expand the WRF and to meet all applicable FDEP standards.

Hernando County Cost (2021)	\$21,000,000
FDEP Springs Funding (2021)	\$5,000,000
Total Cost (2021)	\$26,000,000

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date:    May 1, 2020

End Date:    December 31, 2021

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Hernando

Latitude (decimal degrees) 28.454430

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.482240

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Weeki Wachee

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 7.22 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Weeki Wachee

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

This expansion is necessary to remove the Spring Hill WRF from service. The Spring Hill WRF is in close proximity to Weeki Wachee and it's primary land application site is immediately upgradient of the Spring. The WRF employs outdated technology that does not effectively reduce nitrogen.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

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	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,000,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,000,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 21,000,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 21,000,000.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 26,000,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 26,000,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
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Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

This project was ranked the highest priority of all projects considered last year by the Springs Coast Management Committee and Springs Coast Steering Committee.

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## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

Airport Water Reclamation Facility

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Advanced Wastewater Treatment for nitrogen

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Rapid Infiltration Basin (RIBs)

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

3.5 million gallons per day

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

1.543

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

6

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

2.5

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

None for this project.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

None. All work is on WRF site.

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

0

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

0

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

NA

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

0

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

The Weeki Wachee BMAP limits future septic tank installations and repairs.

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

NA

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

NA

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%):

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%):

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd):

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd):

Percent Offset (%):

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%):

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

What will be the landuse once purchased?

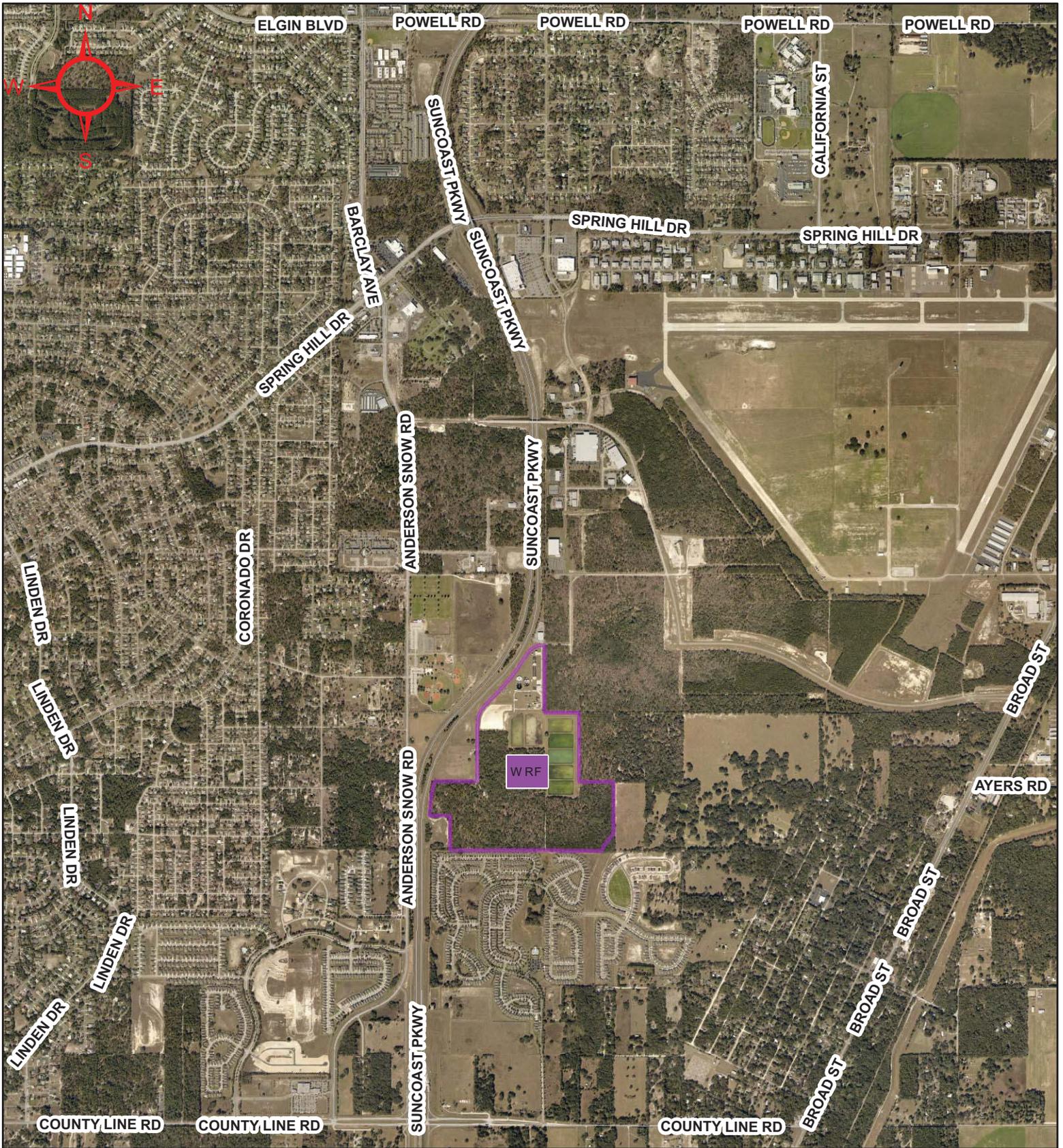
What is the recharge potential (mgd)?

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**



# Airport Water Reclamation Facility

## Legend



WRF Location



WRF Parcel Boundary



### Calculate Load Reduction from Airport WRF Full Expansion

Base load 14 mg/l TN

Flow 0.86 MGD (Flow diverted from Spring Hill WRF)

New load 6 mg/l TN

Project Cost \$26,000,000

30 year life cycle

$(14-6) \text{ mg/l} \times 8.34 \times 0.86 \text{ MGD} \times 0.9 \times 0.75 \times 365 \text{ days/yr} = 14,137 \text{ lb TN/yr reduced}$

### **Calculate 30 Year Cost**

$\$26,000,000 / (14,137 \times 30) = \$61.30/\text{lb TN removed}$





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

This application should be completed and emailed with the appropriate calculations and map to [Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us) by 5:00PM on October 4, 2019.

## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Hernando County Utilities Department

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Richard Kirby

Project Manager Address: 15365 Cortez Boulevard, Brooksville, FL 34613

Project Manager Phone Number: (352) 754-4769

Project Manager Email Address: [Rkirby@hernandocounty.us](mailto:Rkirby@hernandocounty.us)

## Project General Information

Project Name: Septic to Sewer District A, Phase 1

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd):    0

Land Acquisition (acres):    0

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year):    3,412

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year):    0

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

The Weeki Wachee BMAP requires Hernando County and other contributors to reduce the rate of total nitrogen being discharged to Priority Focus Area groundwater by 195,200 pounds/year within 20 years of the June 2018 finalization. Septic tanks have been identified as a major contributor of nitrogen to groundwater. Connecting existing homes and other structures to central sewer that currently use onsite septic tanks and drainfields will reduce discharge of nitrogen to groundwater. A Septic to Sewer Conversion Study was developed by HCUD in 2016. This study identified and prioritized districts within the Priority Focus Area of the Weeki Wachee BMAP where septic to sewer conversions will have the most positive impact.

This project consists of design and construction of gravity sewers, pumping stations, and force mains needed to remove septic tanks from service and to provide capacity to undeveloped lots in the Weeki Wachee Priority Focus Area. One half of the area identified as District A will be converted from septic systems to central sewer service. Approximately 441 properties will be served by this project. Approximately 363 lots have existing structures that will be converted septic to sewer by this project, reducing discharge to the springshed by 3412 lb TN/year.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: November 1, 2020

End Date: September 27, 2024

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Hernando

Latitude (decimal degrees) 28.515810

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.562502

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Weeki Wachee

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 1.14 mile

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Yes. Weeki Wachee

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

Weeki Wachee BMAP

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 8,250,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 8,250,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,125,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,125,000.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,125,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,125,000.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 16,500,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 16,500,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 8,250,000.00	\$ 8,250,000.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,125,000.00	\$ 4,125,000.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,125,000.00	\$ 4,125,000.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 16,500,000.00	\$ 16,500,000.00

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

Hernando County's FDEP funded feasibility analysis is being developed now.

## Don't forget to submit

Benefit Calculations

Map

Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)

Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)

Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)

Please contact Frank Gargano at  
[Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us)  
with any questions prior to submittal.

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

Glen WRF

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

AWT for Nitrogen will be provided within the next 5 years as required by Weeki

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Reclaimed

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

3

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.58

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

8.44

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

~0.09

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

Residents are expected to pay 20% of the local funding share.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

Design is not underway yet. It is expected just over one mile of 12 or 16 inch diameter forcemain will be needed. This is the first phase of septic to sewer so the offsite forcemain will need to be constructed as part of this project. The forcemain will likely start in the area of the Elgin Boulevard-Deltona Boulevard intersection, then proceed northerly along Deltona to SR 50 (Cortez Boulevard) then westerly to

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

363 existing. 78 vacant lots will be served in the future

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

6 expected for this project. District A contains 13 commercial tanks.

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

Ten Professional Buildings with 47,945 square feet.(6111 & 6117 Deltona-30)

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

0

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

Weekie Wachee BMAP precludes installation of new standard septic tanks in the area.

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

NA

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

NA

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%):

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%):

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd):

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd):

Percent Offset (%):

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%):

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

What will be the landuse once purchased?

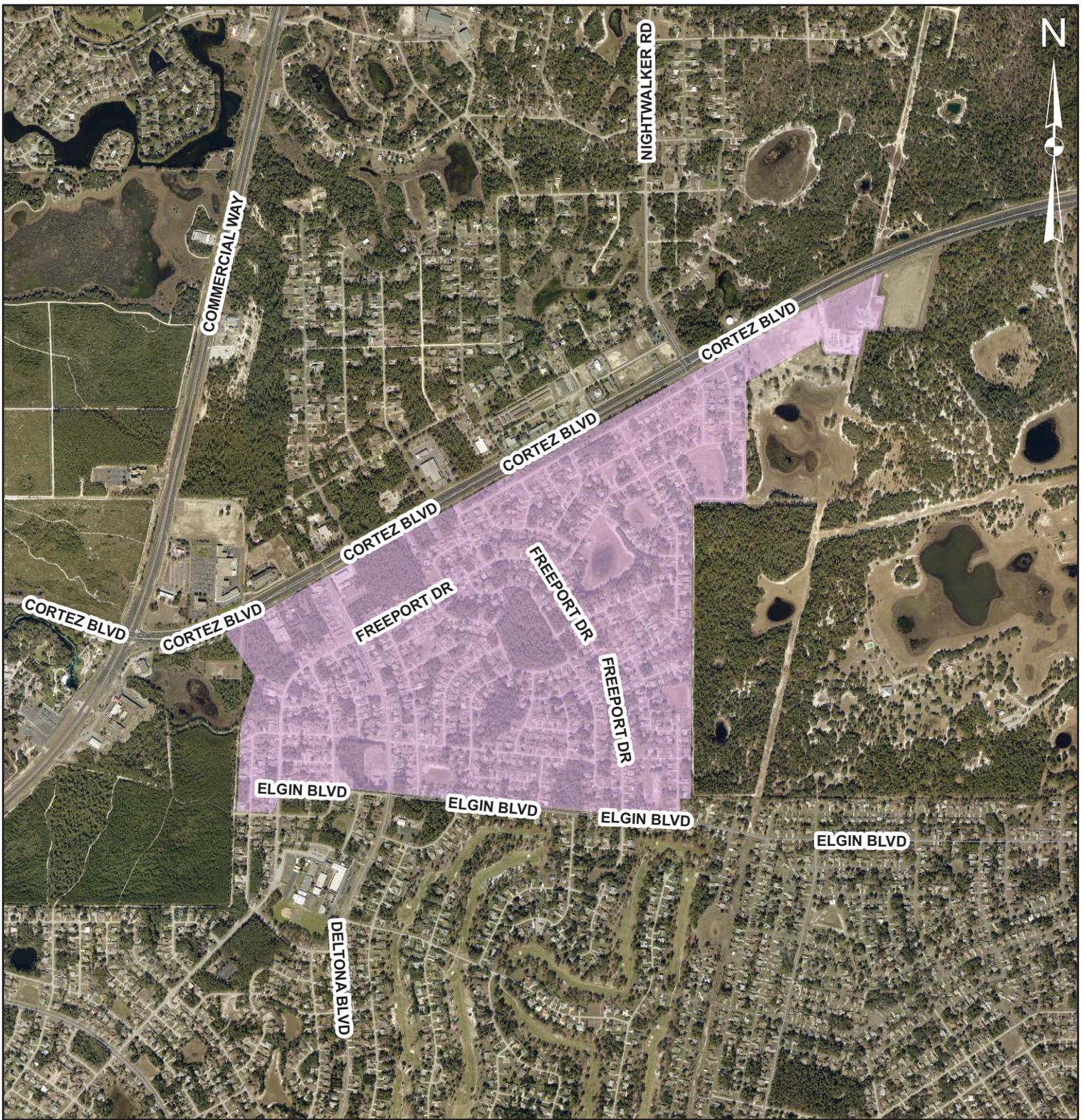
What is the recharge potential (mgd)?

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**



**Septic to Sewer Conversion Area**  
District A

**Legend**

 District A



**Calculate Load reduction from S2S District A, Phase 1 Hernando County**

(Input from septic systems X 0.5 X recharge factor for area) –

(Input from septic system X percent N remaining after treatment X attenuation factor of WW application method X recharge factor)\*

(23.7 lb/yr home X 0.5 X 0.9) –

((200gpd/home X MGD/1,000,000 gal X 8.34 X 30 mg/l X 365 day/yr) X 0.1 X 0.75 X 0.9)

**= 9.432 lb TN/yr reduced per septic tank converted**

363 existing X 9.4 lb/septic tank = **3412.2 lb TN removed**

(363 + 78 vacant lots) X 9.4 lb/septic tank = **4145 lb TN at buildout**

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# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

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## Applicant Information

Entity Name: Hernando County Utilities Department (HCUD)

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?                      Yes                      No

Project Manager Name: Richard Kirby

Project Manager Address: 15365 Cortez Boulevard, Brooksville FL, 34613

Project Manager Phone Number: (352) 754-4769

Project Manager Email Address: [Rkirby@hernandocounty.us](mailto:Rkirby@hernandocounty.us)

## Project General Information

Project Name: Glen Water Reclamation Facility Denitrification

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd):    NA

Land Acquisition (acres):    NA

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year):    24,592

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year):    0

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

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Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

#### Glen Water Reclamation Facility Denitrification

Weeki Wachee Springs is an outstanding Florida spring that is a major attraction and destination for nearly 400,000 visitors every year. The spring is currently impaired for nitrate and the concentrations have been steadily increasing over the last several decades. As a result, the spring has experienced degradation in water quality and clarity through the growth of unwanted algae and this has subsequently led to other negative impacts to the sensitive aquatic ecosystem.

As part of the 2016 Florida Aquifer and Springs Protection Act, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection has developed a Basin Management Action Plan (BMAP) for the Weeki Wachee Springs and River. The BMAP was established based on a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) of nitrogen and has also established additional limits for developments within the Priority Focus Area (PFA). One limit imposed is on the effluent concentration of nitrogen released from a wastewater reclamation facility (WRF) to be no more than 3 milligrams per liter when discharging to groundwater. The Glen WRF, one of Hernando County's sub-regional facilities, lies within the Priority Focus Area and currently does not meet the limit of 3 mg/l.

This project will design, permit, and construct necessary upgrades to the Glen WRF with the treatment processes necessary to achieve the effluent limit of 3mg/l total nitrogen. The total cost of required improvements is anticipated to be \$5,000,000. Hernando County Utilities Department is seeking \$3,700,000 from FDEP Springs funding to assist with compliance.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: February 1, 2021

End Date: October 1, 2023

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Hernando

Latitude (decimal degrees) 28.582416

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.534670

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Weeki Wachee

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 5.1 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Weeki Wachee

Is this project within a BMAP boundary? Yes No

Is this project within a PFA boundary? Yes No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list? Yes No No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL? Yes No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

This project is included in the Weeki Wachee BMAP. This project is required to meet advanced wastewater treatment for total nitrogen per the BMAP. It is also required to remove the Spring Hill WRF from service.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?      Yes                      No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?      Yes                      No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,700,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,700,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,300,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,300,000.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,000,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 5,000,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	<b>Previous</b>	<b>FY2020</b>	<b>Future</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00

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Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

This WRF has produced effluent nitrogen between 8 mg/l and 14 mg/l in the past. The lower level of treatment is attributed to the fact that this plant receives all leachate from the county's landfill. Hernando County has proactively moved to remove leachate from the flow to this plant by having it trucked to another treatment site.

**Don't forget to submit**

**Benefit Calculations**

**Map**

**Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)**

**Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)**

**Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)**

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**with any questions prior to submittal.**

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

NA. This is a WWTF project.

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

AWT for nitrogen removal, 3 mg/l, will be provided by this project.

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Rapid Infiltration Basin (RIBs)

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

3

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

.582

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

14,953

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

~0.9

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

Not applicable for this project

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

None. This project is completely within a WRF site.

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

0

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

0

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

NA

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

NA

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?

Yes

No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

Weeki Wachee BMAP

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

NA

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

NA

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%):

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%):

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd):

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd):

Percent Offset (%):

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%):

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

What will be the landuse once purchased?

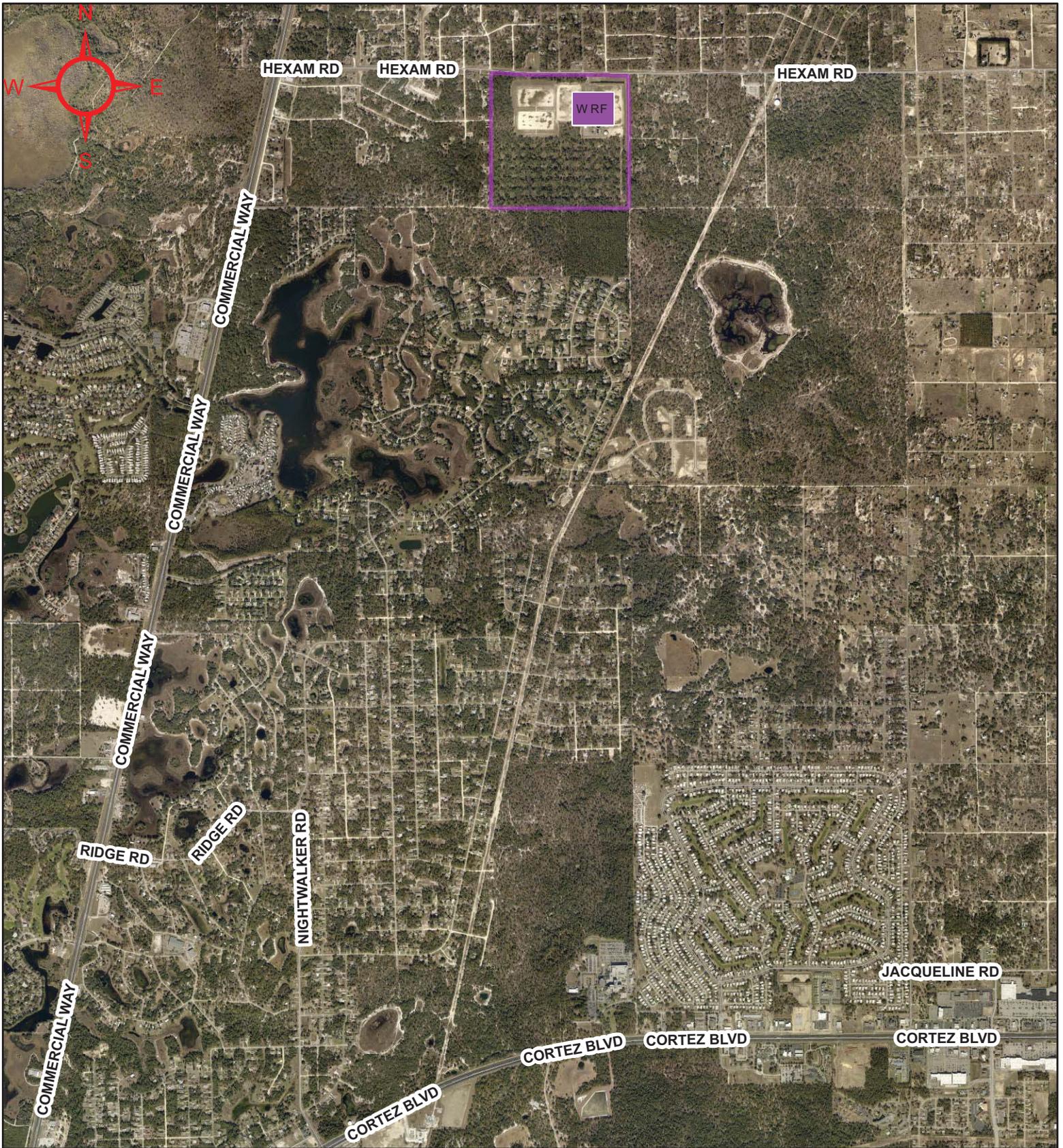
What is the recharge potential (mgd)?

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**



# Glen Water Reclamation Facility

# Legend



WRF Location



WRF Parcel Boundary



## Glen WRF TN Calculations

### **Glen – Current**

3.33 mg/l nitrate

8.44 mg/l TN actual

Capacity 3 MGD

Current limit 12 mg/l nitrate

Calculate reduction based on current limits and capacity.

$$3 \text{ MGD} \times (12-3) \text{ mg/l} \times 8.34 \times 365 \text{ days/yr} = 82,191 \text{ lb/yr}$$

Apply FDEP factors

$$82,191 \times (0.75) \times (0.9) = 51,780 \text{ lb/yr}$$

### **Reduction assuming current TN is starting point**

$$3 \text{ MGD} (8.44 - 3) \text{ mg/l} \times 8.34 \times 365 \text{ days/year} = 49,441 \text{ lb/yr}$$

Apply FDEP Factors

$$49,441 \times (0.75) \times (0.9) = 33,373 \text{ lb/yr}$$

### **Actual Reduction after Brookridge WRF and Spring Hill WRF flows are diverted**

$$2.2 \text{ MGD} (8.44 - 3) \text{ mg/l} \times 8.34 \times 365 \text{ days/year} = 36,432 \text{ lb/yr}$$

Apply FDEP Factors

$$36,432 \times (0.75) \times (0.9) = 24,592 \text{ lb/yr}$$





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

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## Applicant Information

Entity Name: City of Inverness

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?  Yes  No

Project Manager Name: Scott McCulloch

Project Manager Address: 212 West Main Street

Project Manager Phone Number: 352-726-2611

Project Manager Email Address: [smcculloch@inverness-fl.gov](mailto:smcculloch@inverness-fl.gov)

## Project General Information

Project Name: South Highlands Septic to Sewer Project

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd): N/A

Land Acquisition (acres): N/A

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year): 695 (Phase 1) 5,427 (Total **D**)

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year): N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?



Yes



No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

The South Highlands Septic to Sewer Project is located in the southeast portion of the City of Inverness. This project is a multi-year project that is broken into 5 phases. This application is for Phase 1 of the total project. The total project area is located within the BMAP area for the Chassahowitzka-Homosassa springs shed and this spring shed will directly benefit from the removal of the septic tanks within the project area. The project area is located 16 miles from the spring head. The total project area along with the project area for Phase 1 is depicted on the project map included with the application.

The total project area consists of 751 parcels of which 540 contain septic tanks. This is a residential area comprised of single family lots. The removal of these septic tanks and connection of the residents to the City's sewer system would remove 5,427 lbs of TN / year once the total project is complete. The total project also consists of approximately 9 miles of existing roadway and ROW, 46,500 LF of gravity sewer, 22,400 LF of FM, 14 local or regional lift stations, and 5 lots needed for the construction of the lift stations.

The Phase 1 project area consists of 114 parcels of which 69 contain septic tanks. The removal of these septic tanks and connection of the residents to the City's sewer system will remove 695 lbs of TN per year from the Chassahowitzka-Homosassa spring shed. Phase 1 consists of 1.4 miles of roadway and ROW, 7,250 LF of gravity sewer, 3,800 LF of force main, 2 lift stations, and 1 lot for lift station construction.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: January 2021

End Date: January 2023

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Citrus

Latitude (decimal degrees) N 28.827937

Longitude (decimal degrees) W 82.328362

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Chassahowitzka-Homosassa Springs

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 16 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Chassahowitzka-Homosassa Springs

Is this project within a BMAP boundary?  Yes  No

Is this project within a PFA boundary?  Yes  No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list?  Yes  No  No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL?  Yes  No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

None at this time.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?  Yes  No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?  Yes  No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,613,600.00	\$ 14,898,000.00	\$ 17,511,600.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 653,400.00	\$ 3,724,500.00	\$ 4,377,900.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,267,000.00	\$ 18,622,500.00	\$ 21,889,500.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,613,600.00	\$ 14,898,000.00	\$ 17,511,600.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 653,400.00	\$ 3,724,500.00	\$ 4,377,900.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,267,000.00	\$ 18,622,500.00	\$ 21,889,500.00

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Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

The project is part of a economically disadvantaged community as designated by the Department of Economic Opportunity.

**Don't forget to submit**

**Benefit Calculations**

**Map**

**Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)**

**Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)**

**Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)**

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**with any questions prior to submittal.**

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

City of Inverness Wastewater Treatment Plant

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Advanced Wastewater Treatment

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Sprayfield

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

1.5

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.5

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

3.5

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

0.0285 for Phase 1

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

The City will charge the residents/property owners a onetime sewer capacity fee of \$ 2,720. Additionally, the residents will be charged a monthly sewer fee based on the amount of water used.

These fees will cover the cost of the additional capacity to the system and the cost of processing the wastewater.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.



Yes



No

It will be necessary to acquire land for the lift station locations.

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

Phase 1 will consist of approximately 3,800 LF of forcemain piping that will range in size from 6 in to 8 in pipe.

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

69 existing septic tanks for Phase 1 of the project. 539 for t

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

None.

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

N/A

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

none

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?



Yes



No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

None

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

N/A

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

N/A

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd): N/A

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd): N/A

Percent Offset (%): N/A

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%): N/A

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

Single Family Residential

What will be the landuse once purchased?

Municipal

What is the recharge potential (mgd)? None

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**

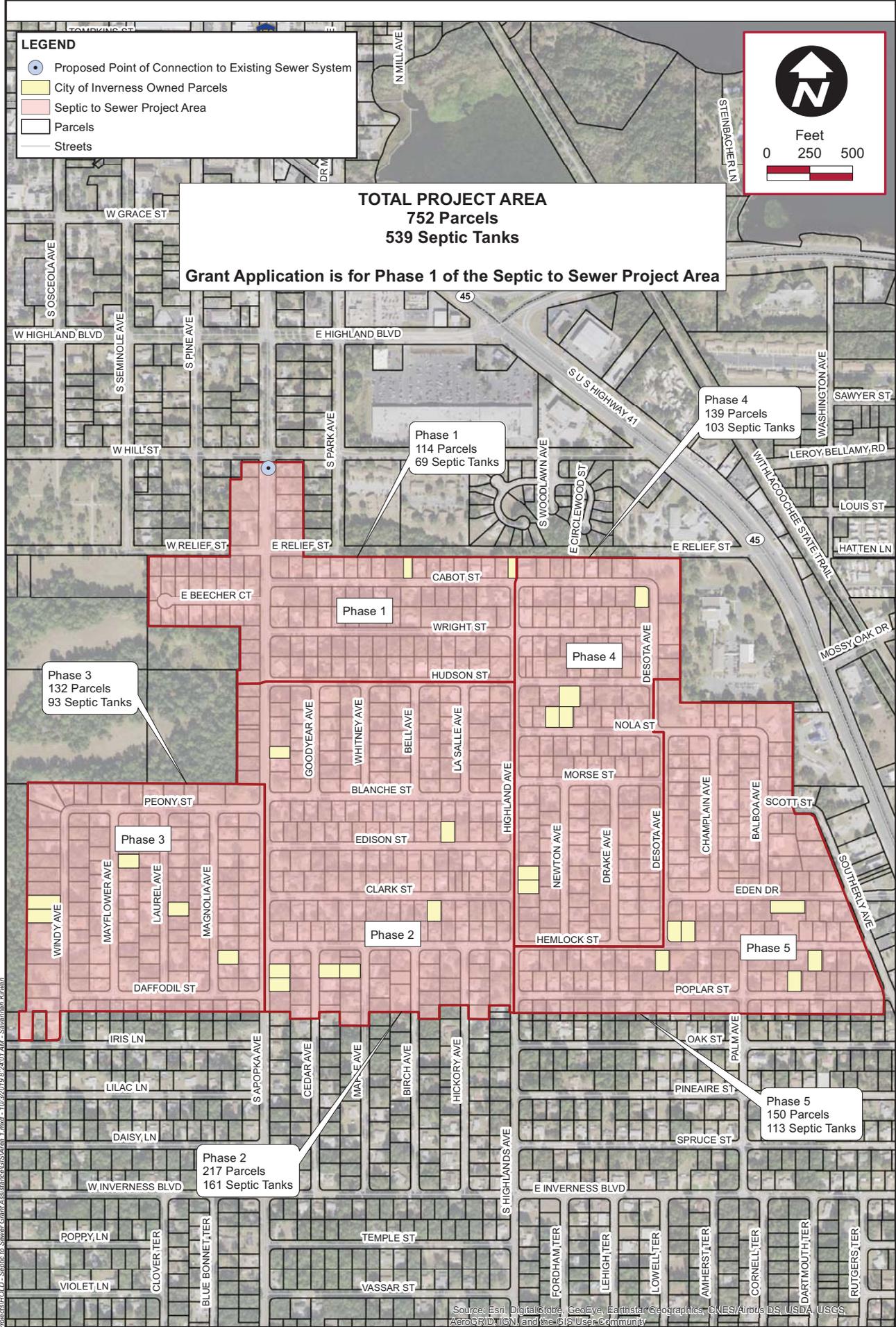
**LEGEND**

- Proposed Point of Connection to Existing Sewer System
- City of Inverness Owned Parcels
- Septic to Sewer Project Area
- Parcels
- Streets

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**TOTAL PROJECT AREA**  
**752 Parcels**  
**539 Septic Tanks**

**Grant Application is for Phase 1 of the Septic to Sewer Project Area**



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**SOUTH HIGHLANDS SEPTIC TO SEWER (STS) PROJECT**

PROPOSED SEPTIC TO SEWER  
 INVERNESS, FL

October 2019

Project No. 142240046

Figure 1

**COST ESTIMATE FOR GRANT APPLICATION  
CITY OF INVERNESS  
SOUTH HIGHLANDS SEPTIC TO SEWER - PHASE 1**

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT	
1	RESIDENT SEPTIC TANK ABANDONMENT AND CONNECTION TO SEWER	69	EA	\$ 8,000	552,000.00
2	GRAVITY SEWER (INCLUDES ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED COMPONENTS)	7,250	LF	\$ 120	870,000.00
3	FORCE MAIN (INCLUDES ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED COMPONENTS)	3,800	LF	\$ 100	380,000.00
4	LIFT STATION	2	LS	\$ 400,000	800,000.00
5	PROPERTY ACQUISITION	1	LOT	\$ 35,000	35,000.00
6	ROADWAY	1.40	MI	\$ 450,000	630,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>\$ 3,267,000.00</b>	

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**COST ESTIMATE FOR GRANT APPLICATION  
CITY OF INVERNESS  
SOUTH HIGHLANDS SEPTIC TO SEWER - TOTAL PROJECT**

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY		UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
1	RESIDENT SEPTIC TANK ABANDONMENT AND CONNECTION TO SEWER	539	EA	\$ 8,000	4,312,000.00
2	GRAVITY SEWER (INCLUDES ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED COMPONENTS)	46,500	LF	\$ 120	5,580,000.00
3	FORCE MAIN (INCLUDES ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED COMPONENTS)	22,400	LF	\$ 100	2,240,000.00
4	LIFT STATION	14	LS	\$ 400,000	5,600,000.00
5	PROPERTY ACQUISITION	5	LOT	\$ 35,000	175,000.00
6	ROADWAY	9	MI	\$ 450,000	3,982,500.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>\$ 21,889,500.00</b>

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# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

This application should be completed and emailed with the appropriate calculations and map to [Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us) by 5:00PM on October 4, 2019.

## Applicant Information

Entity Name: City of Inverness

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?  Yes  No

Project Manager Name: Scott McCulloch

Project Manager Address: 212 West Main Street

Project Manager Phone Number: 352-726-2611

Project Manager Email Address: [smcculloch@inverness-fl.gov](mailto:smcculloch@inverness-fl.gov)

## Project General Information

Project Name: 44 West Sewer Extension Project

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd): N/A

Land Acquisition (acres): N/A

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year): 1746

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year): N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

The 44 West Sewer Expansion Project is located in the southeast portion of the City of Inverness. The project area is located within the BMAP area for the Chassahowitzka-Homosassa springs shed and this spring shed will directly benefit from the removal of the septic tanks within the project area. The project area is located approximately 16 miles from the spring heads. The project area is depicted on the project map included with the application. The project consists of a total of 136 parcels of which 54 contain septic tanks. There are a total 45 commercial septic tanks and 9 residential septic tanks. The project is separated into 2 phases on the map but will not be a multi-year project.

The removal of these septic tanks and connection of the residents to the City's sewer system would remove 1,746 lbs of TN / year from the Chassahowitzka-Homosassa spring shed. The total project also consists of approximately 0.75 miles of existing roadway and ROW, 4,100 LF of gravity sewer, 2,200 LF of FM, 2 local or regional lift stations, and 2 lots needed for the construction of the lift stations.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: May 2021

End Date: May 2023

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Citrus

Latitude (decimal degrees) N 28.842398

Longitude (decimal degrees) W 82.364260

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Chassahowitzka-Homosassa Springs

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 15 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Chassahowitzka-Homosassa Springs

Is this project within a BMAP boundary?  Yes  No

Is this project within a PFA boundary?  Yes  No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list?  Yes  No  No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL?  Yes  No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

None at this time.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?  Yes  No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?  Yes  No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,888,400.00		\$ 1,888,400.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 472,100.00		\$ 472,100.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,360,500.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,360,500.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,888,400.00		\$ 1,888,400.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 472,100.00		\$ 472,100.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,360,500.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,360,500.00

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

This project was part of a capitol improvement project

**Don't forget to submit**

**Benefit Calculations**

**Map**

**Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)**

**Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)**

**Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)**

**Please contact Frank Gargano at**  
**[Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us)**  
**with any questions prior to submittal.**

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

City of Inverness Wastewater Treatment Plant

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Advanced Wastewater Treatment

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Sprayfield

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

1.5

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.5

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

3.5

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

0.043

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

The City will charge the residents/property owners a onetime sewer capacity fee of \$ 2,720. Additionally, the residents will be charged a monthly sewer fee based on the amount of water used.

These fees will cover the cost of the additional capacity to the system and the cost of processing the wastewater.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes  No

It will be necessary to acquire land for the lift station locations.

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

The project will consist of approximately 2,200 LF of force main piping that will range in size from 4 in to 6 in pipe.

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

54

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

45

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

The commercial land use ranges from Commercial low to commercial high.  
There is a total of 274,055 SF of commercial buildings.

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

3

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?



Yes



No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

None

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

N/A

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

N/A

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd): N/A

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd): N/A

Percent Offset (%): N/A

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%): N/A

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

Single Family Residential or Commercial

What will be the landuse once purchased?

Municipal

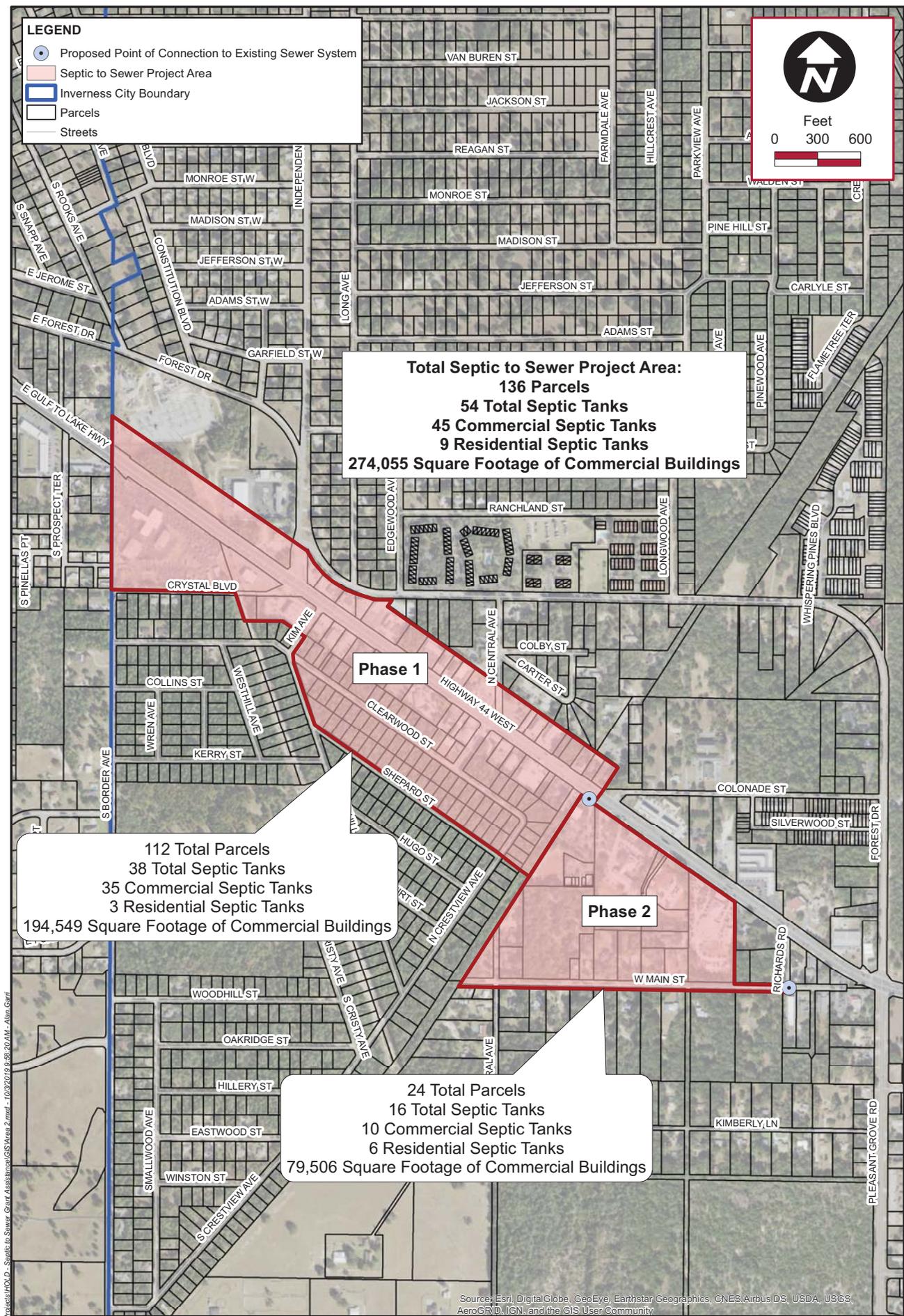
What is the recharge potential (mgd)? None

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**



**LEGEND**

- Proposed Point of Connection to Existing Sewer System
- Septic to Sewer Project Area
- Inverness City Boundary
- Parcels
- Streets

Feet  
0 300 600

**Total Septic to Sewer Project Area:**  
**136 Parcels**  
**54 Total Septic Tanks**  
**45 Commercial Septic Tanks**  
**9 Residential Septic Tanks**  
**274,055 Square Footage of Commercial Buildings**

**Phase 1**

**112 Total Parcels**  
**38 Total Septic Tanks**  
**35 Commercial Septic Tanks**  
**3 Residential Septic Tanks**  
**194,549 Square Footage of Commercial Buildings**

**Phase 2**

**24 Total Parcels**  
**16 Total Septic Tanks**  
**10 Commercial Septic Tanks**  
**6 Residential Septic Tanks**  
**79,506 Square Footage of Commercial Buildings**

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**44 WEST SEWER EXTENSION PROJECT**

PROPOSED SEPTIC TO SEWER  
 INVERNESS, FL

October 2019

Project No. 142240046

Figure 1

**COST ESTIMATE FOR GRANT APPLICATION  
CITY OF INVERNESS  
44 WEST SEWER EXTENSION**

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY		UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
1	SEPTIC TANK ABANDONMENT AND CONNECTION TO SEWER	54	EA	\$ 8,000	432,000.00
2	GRAVITY SEWER (INCLUDES ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED COMPONENTS)	4,100	LF	\$ 120	492,000.00
3	FORCE MAIN (INCLUDES ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED COMPONENTS)	2,200	LF	\$ 100	220,000.00
4	LIFT STATION	2	LS	\$ 400,000	800,000.00
5	PROPERTY ACQUISITION	2	LOT	\$ 35,000	70,000.00
6	ROADWAY	0.77	MI	\$ 450,000	346,500.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>\$ 2,360,500.00</b>

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Recharge Factor GIS Viewer Link (2016) <https://www.atcpgis.com/home/webmap/viewer.html?webmap=501645b3ace54f68b56c6db877c626d>

Reclaimed water lines and facilities within SWFWMD [http://www21.swfwmd.state.il.us/maps/pages/viewer\\_rw.html](http://www21.swfwmd.state.il.us/maps/pages/viewer_rw.html)

Recharge Factor  
 0.1 mgd or greater WWTP locations

## 44 West Sewer Expansion Project

Calculate Base Load for Residential Septic Tanks	
Number of Septic Tanks	9
Typical septic TN input to environment (lb/yr)	23.7
Typical Septic Attenuation	0.5
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0.9
Septic System Load to Groundwater	96

Calculate Base Load for Commercial Septic Tanks	
Number of Commercial Septic Tanks	45
Building Square Footage	274,055
Sewage Generated from Commercial Applications (gpd/100 SF) -FAC 64E6.008	15
GPD Flow from Commercial Septic Tanks	41,108
GPD per ERU	250
Equivalent ERUs	164
Typical septic TN input to environment (lb/yr)	23.7
Typical Septic Attenuation	0.5
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0.9
Septic System Load to Groundwater	1754

Calculate New Load		Traditional	AWT
Number of Residential Septic Tanks and Equivalent ERUs from Commercial Septic Tanks	173	173	
Input from Septic Systems to be Connected	23.7	23.7	
% TN Remaining After Treatment (18% remaining going from 45 mg/l to 8 mg/l OR 7% remaining going from 45mg/l to 3mg/l)	0.18	0.18	0.07
Attenuation Factor for Wastewater Application (RIB, .75, Reuse, .25, Sprayfield, .40)	0.4	0.4	
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0.9	0.9	
Load to Groundwater After Treatment	266	266	104
Reduction in Load to Springshed lb/yr	1583	1583	1746

Cost Effectiveness Calculation for 30 Year Period		
Project Cost	Traditional	AWT
cost/lb TN	\$2,360,500	
Cost/lb TN / 30 years	\$1,490.86	\$1,351.88
	\$49.70	\$45.06

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Recharge Factor

0.1 mgd or greater WWTP locations

## 44 West Sewer Expansion Project

Calculate Base Load for Residential Septic Tanks	
Number of Septic Tanks	9
Typical septic TN input to environment (lb/yr)	23.7
Typical Septic Attenuation	0.5
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0.9
Septic System Load to Groundwater	96

Calculate Base Load for Commercial Septic Tanks	
Number of Commercial Septic Tanks	45
Building Square Footage	274,055
Sewage Generated from Commercial Applications (gpd/100 SF) -FAC 64E6.008	15
GPD Flow from Commercial Septic Tanks	41,108
GPD per ERU	250
Equivalent ERUs	164
Typical septic TN input to environment (lb/yr)	23.7
Typical Septic Attenuation	0.5
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0.9
Septic System Load to Groundwater	1754

Calculate New Load		Traditional	AWT
Number of Residential Septic Tanks and Equivalent ERUs from Commercial Septic Tanks			
Input from Septic Systems to be Connected		173	
% TN Remaining After Treatment (18% remaining going from 45 mg/l to 8 mg/l OR 7% remaining going from 45mg/l to 3mg/l)		0.18	0.07
Attenuation Factor for Wastewater Application (RIB, 75, Reuse, 25, Sprayfield, 40)			
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)		0.9	0.4
Load to Groundwater After Treatment		266	104
Reduction in Load to Springshed lb/yr		1583	1746

Cost Effectiveness Calculation for 30 Year Period			
Project Cost cost/lb TN Cost/lb TN / 30 years	Traditional	\$2,360,500	AWT
		\$1,490.86	\$1,351.88
		\$49.70	\$45.06





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

This application should be completed and emailed with the appropriate calculations and map to [Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us) by 5:00PM on October 4, 2019.

## Applicant Information

Entity Name: City of Inverness

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?  Yes  No

Project Manager Name: Scott McCulloch

Project Manager Address: 212 West Main Street

Project Manager Phone Number: 352-726-2611

Project Manager Email Address: [smcculloch@inverness-fl.gov](mailto:smcculloch@inverness-fl.gov)

## Project General Information

Project Name: 41 N Sewer Extension Project

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd): N/A

Land Acquisition (acres): N/A

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year): 1202

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year): N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

The 41 North Sewer Expansion Project is located in the northern portion of the City of Inverness. The project area is located within the BMAP area for the Chassahowitzka-Homosassa springs shed and this spring shed will directly benefit from the removal of the septic tanks within the project area. The project area is located approximately 14.5 miles from the spring heads. The project area is depicted on the project map included with the application. The project consists of a total of 116 parcels of which 67 contain septic tanks. There are a total 33 commercial septic tanks and 34 residential septic tanks.

The removal of these septic tanks and connection of the residents to the City's sewer system would remove 1,202 lbs of TN / year from the Chassahowitzka-Homosassa spring shed. The total project also consists of approximately 1.5 miles of existing roadway and ROW, 7,500 LF of gravity sewer, 7,000 LF of FM, 3 local or regional lift stations, and 2 lots needed for the construction of the lift stations.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: August 2021

End Date: August 2023

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Citrus

Latitude (decimal degrees) N 28.857782

Longitude (decimal degrees) W 82.348821

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Chassahowitzka-Homosassa Springs

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 14.5 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Chassahowitzka-Homosassa Springs

Is this project within a BMAP boundary?  Yes  No

Is this project within a PFA boundary?  Yes  No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list?  Yes  No  No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL?  Yes  No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

None at this time.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?  Yes  No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?  Yes  No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,264,800.00		\$ 3,264,800.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 816,200.00		\$ 816,200.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,081,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,081,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 3,264,800.00		\$ 3,264,800.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 816,200.00		\$ 816,200.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,081,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,081,000.00

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Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

This project was part of a capitol improvement plan.

**Don't forget to submit**

**Benefit Calculations**

**Map**

**Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)**

**Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)**

**Form C (Land Acquisition Projects)**

**Please contact Frank Gargano at**  
**[Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Frank.Gargano@swfwmd.state.fl.us)**  
**with any questions prior to submittal.**

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

City of Inverness Wastewater Treatment Plant

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

Advanced Wastewater Treatment

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Sprayfield

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

1.5

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.5

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

3.5

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

0.030

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

The City will charge the residents/property owners a onetime sewer capacity fee of \$ 2,720. Additionally, the residents will be charged a monthly sewer fee based on the amount of water used.

These fees will cover the cost of the additional capacity to the system and the cost of processing the wastewater.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.



Yes



No

It will be necessary to acquire land for the lift station locations.

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

The project will consist of approximately 2,200 LF of force main piping that will range in size from 4 in to 6 in pipe.

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

67

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

33

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

The commercial land use ranges from commercial rural to commercial medium. There is a total of 142,262 SF of commercial buildings.

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

3

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?



Yes



No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

None

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

N/A

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

N/A

## Form B: Water Quantity Projects

**For Agricultural Projects associated with irrigation system efficiency improvements:**

Proposed irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Prior irrigation system efficiency (%): N/A

Average metered water use for the past 5 years (mgd): N/A

**For Reclaimed Water Projects:**

**Note:** Refer to Appendix D of the [Springs Funding Guidance](#) for how to calculate the following.

Projected Reuse Flow (mgd): N/A

Percent Offset (%): N/A

Was Percent Offset determined by Table 1 of the Springs Funding Guidance?

Yes

No

Percent Recharge (%): N/A

## Form C: Land Acquisition Projects Only

What is the current landuse? If mixed, please depict acreage for each land use.

Single Family Residential or Commercial

What will be the landuse once purchased?

Municipal

What is the recharge potential (mgd)? None

Does a portion of the land to be acquired lie outside of the BMAP?

Yes

No

**Please note, the portion of land outside of a BMAP for a land acquisition project should not be included in reporting acreage preserved.**

**LEGEND**

-  Proposed Point of Connection to Existing Sewer System
-  City of Inverness Owned Parcels
-  Septic to Sewer Project Area
-  Inverness City Boundary
-  Parcels
-  Streets



Feet  
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**116 Total Parcels**  
**67 Total Septic Tanks**  
**33 Commercial Septic Tanks**  
**34 Residential Septic Tanks**  
**142,262 Square Footage of Commercial Buildings**



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**41 NORTH COMMERCIAL CORRIDOR PROJECT**

PROPOSED SEPTIC TO SEWER  
 INVERNESS, FL

October 2019

Project No. 142240046

Figure 1

**COST ESTIMATE FOR GRANT APPLICATION  
CITY OF INVERNESS  
41 N SEWER EXTENSION**

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
1	SEPTIC TANK ABANDONMENT AND CONNECTION TO SEWER	67	EA \$ 8,000	536,000.00
2	GRAVITY SEWER (INCLUDES ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED COMPONENTS)	7,500	LF \$ 120	900,000.00
3	FORCE MAIN (INCLUDES ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED COMPONENTS)	7,000	LF \$ 100	700,000.00
4	LIFT STATION	3	LS \$ 400,000	1,200,000.00
5	PROPERTY ACQUISITION	2	LOT \$ 35,000	70,000.00
6	ROADWAY	1.50	MI \$ 450,000	675,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>\$ 4,081,000.00</b>

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Recharge Factor [NSLIT Recharge Factor GIS Viewer Link \(2016\)](https://www.atcgis.com/home/webmap/viewer.html?webmap=501645b3ace54f68b56c6db877c626d)

0.1 mgd or greater WWTP locations [Reclaimed water lines and facilities within SWFWMD](http://www2.1.swfwmd.state.il.us/maps/pages/viewer_rw.html)

## 41 North Sewer Expansion Project

Calculate Base Load for Residential Septic Tanks	
Number of Septic Tanks	34
Typical septic TN input to environment (lb/yr)	23.7
Typical Septic Attenuation	0.5
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0.9
Septic System Load to Groundwater	363

Calculate Base Load for Commercial Septic Tanks	
Number of Commercial Septic Tanks	33
Building Square Footage	142,262
Sewage Generated from Commercial Applications (gpd/100 SF) -FAC 64E6.008	15
GPD Flow from Commercial Septic Tanks	21,339
GPD per ERU	250
Equivalent ERUs	85
Typical septic TN input to environment (lb/yr)	23.7
Typical Septic Attenuation	0.5
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0.9
Septic System Load to Groundwater	910

Calculate New Load		Traditional	AWT
Number of Residential Septic Tanks and Equivalent ERUs from Commercial Septic Tanks		119	
Input from Septic Systems to be Connected		23.7	
% TN Remaining After Treatment (18% remaining going from 45 mg/l to 8 mg/l OR 7% remaining going from 45mg/l to 3mg/l)		0.18	0.07
Attenuation Factor for Wastewater Application (RIB, .75, Reuse, .25, Sprayfield, .40)		0.4	
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)		0.9	
Load to Groundwater After Treatment		183	71
Reduction in Load to Springshed lb/yr		1090	1202

Cost Effectiveness Calculation for 30 Year Period		
Project Cost	Traditional	AWT
cost/lb TN	\$4,081,000	
Cost/lb TN / 30 years	\$3,745.27	\$3,396.14
	\$124.84	\$113.20





# FY2021 FDEP Springs Funding Application for Projects within the Southwest Florida Water Management District

This application should be completed and emailed with the appropriate calculations and map to [Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us](mailto:Meagan.Finneran@swfwmd.state.fl.us) by 5:00PM on October 4, 2019.

## Applicant Information

Entity Name: City of Crystal River

Is the Entity designated as an economically disadvantaged community?  Yes  No

Project Manager Name: Beau Keene

Project Manager Address: 123 N HWY 19, Crystal River, FL

Project Manager Phone Number: 352-795-4216

Project Manager Email Address: [bkeene@crystalriverfl.org](mailto:bkeene@crystalriverfl.org)

## Project General Information

Project Name: Pelican Bay Package Plant Removal

Project Type: Waste Water Collection & Treatment (Complete Form A)

## Project Benefit

Quantity of Water Made Available (mgd): N/A

Land Acquisition (acres): N/A

Nitrogen Reduced (lbs/year): 47

Sediment Reduced (lbs/year): N/A

Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance](#) document. Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Is this a multiyear project?

Yes

No

If this is a multiyear funding request, please download the [multiyear funding request spreadsheet](#), complete the form, and send in with this application.

Please provide a full description of the project. If this is a multiyear funded project, please provide a description of the complete project, beginning to end, and a description explaining what phase will be covered by this funding request application.

The Pelican Bay Package Plant Removal Project (The project) is located south of the City of Crystal River off of Ft Island Trail (CR 44). The project is located within the BMAP and PFA for the Kings Bay watershed which includes Three Sisters and Hunter Springs.

The project consists of the decommissioning and demolition of the existing package plant that is currently serving the Pelican Bay Apartment complex. The project also consists of the installation of a new transfer lift station or the retrofitting of the existing lift station and subsequent connection to an existing force main stub out located in the ROW adjacent to the property.

The removal of the package plant and connection to the City's wastewater collection system would remove 47 lbs of TN from the spring shed.

What is the anticipated start and end date for the work that will be conducted under this funding request?

Start Date: January 2021

End Date: January 2022

**Project Location Information (please submit a map with this application)**

County Citrus

Latitude (decimal degrees) 28.869007

Longitude (decimal degrees) -82.598940

What is the spring name that will receive the benefit? Three Sisters Spring and Hunter's Spring which are part of

Is this spring deemed impaired? Yes, with a BMAP or RAP

What is the distance from the project to the spring receiving the benefit ? 1.7 miles

Is this project in a springshed? If so, specify which one. Three Sisters Spring and Hunter's Spring

Is this project within a BMAP boundary?  Yes  No

Is this project within a PFA boundary?  Yes  No

Is this project listed in the BMAP project list?  Yes  No  No, but will be in an update

Is this project listed in a recovery strategy, prevention strategy, or regional water supply plan as benefiting an MFL?  Yes  No

Please list any restoration plans, prevention plans, recovery plans, or long term local water quality or quantity strategy plans this project is part of.

None at this time.

**Project Funding Information**

Are you applying for CFI funding this fiscal year?  Yes  No

Have you received springs funding or CFI funding for this project in the past?  Yes  No

Enter the funding amount that has been received and/or is being request:

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 440,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 440,000.00
<b>WMD CFI Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 440,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 440,000.00

In the event this project is not awarded CFI funding, please use the table below to reflect how the costs will be handled without CFI funding. If CFI funding was not applied for, please move to the next section.

	Previous	FY2020	Future	Total
<b>FDEP Springs Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 440,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 440,000.00
<b>Local Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Other Funding</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<b>Total</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 440,000.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 440,000.00

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Please download the the [FDEP Springs Funding guidance document](#). Benefit calculations should be provided demonstrating how the benefit calculation was derived. A Map should be included showing the area of the project and depict notable features.

Provide any additional information below that is pertinent to the review of this application. Include information on any existing ordinances, capital improvement plans, or master plans.

This project is adjacent to a previous grant funded project that was successfully completed in 2012. The project was referred to as the grant project Areas 112 & 113

**Don't forget to submit**

**Benefit Calculations**

**Map**

**Form A (Wastewater Collection and Treatment Projects)**

**Form B (Water Quantity Projects & Reuse)**

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**with any questions prior to submittal.**

## Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

What is the name of the wastewater treatment facility where the project intends to send flows once connected to sewer:

Crystal River WWTP

What level of treatment is offered at the wastewater treatment facility?

AWT

At the wastewater treatment facility, where is the final treated wastewater sent?

Other

What is the current capacity of the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

1.5

What is the annual average of flow received by the wastewater treatment facility (mgd)?

0.8

What is the annual average of total nitrogen leaving the treatment facility (mg/L)?

3.9

How much additional flow will be received by the treatment facility due to the project (mgd)?

0.007

Please describe any proposed costs for the resident/property owner for connection to sewer. Will connection and/or impact fees be charged? If so, how much are the fees? What will the fees cover?

The residents of the apartment complex are lower income and would not be able to pay the cost of connection fees. The residents will pay a monthly sewer charge.

In reference to the 'other' destination of the final treated wastewater selected above, the treated wastewater is sent to the Duke power plant.

Is any land acquisition necessary? If so, please describe below.

Yes

No

What length of forcemain and pipe sizing is necessary? Please describe below.

150 ft of 4 inch PVC

# Form A: Wastewater Collection & Treatment Projects Only

## Septic to Sewer Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

How many septic tanks will be connected to sewer through this project?

N/A

How many of the septic tanks in this project are commercial tanks?

N/A

If commercial tanks are included in this project, provide type of commercial use and square footage of the associated buildings below.

N/A

How many of the septic tanks service multi-family homes?

N/A

Is there a local ordinance in place that requires proper abandonment of a septic system and connection to an available sewerage system, as defined by in Section 381.0065(21), Florida Statutes (F.S.)?



Yes



No

If there are more requirements to the local ordinance, such as limiting future installation of septic systems, please describe and reference the ordinance below.

N/A

## Package Plant Conversion Projects Complete this Section:

What is the annual average flow (actual, not permitted) from the package plant (mgd)?

0.007

What is the annual average concentration (actual, not permitted) of total nitrogen (mg/L)?

6

**LEGEND**

- Project Area
- Parcels
- Streets



Feet

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**PELICAN BAY APARTMENTS PACKAGE PLANT REMOVAL PROJECT AREA**  
**PROPOSED PACKAGE PLANT REMOVAL AND CONNECTION TO EXISTING SEWER**  
**CRYSTAL RIVER, FL**

October 2019

Project No. XX

Figure 1

## Pelican Bay Package Plant Connection

Calculate Base Load	
Package plant annual average TN concentration in mg/l *	5.9
annual average flow in mgd (actual not permitted)	0.007
Conversion	8.345
Recharge Factor (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0.5
Attenuation Factor for Wastewater Application (RIB .75, Reuse .25, Sprayfield .40)	0.75
original load to springshed lbs/year	47

Calculate New Load	
WWTP annual average TN concentration in mg/l	3.9
annual average flow in mgd	0.007
Conversion	8.345
Recharge Factor at new WWTP location (0.9, 0.5, 0.1, or 0)	0
Attenuation Factor for Wastewater Application (RIB .75, Reuse .25, Sprayfield .40)	0.75
new load to springshed lbs/year	0
<b>Reduction in Load to Springshed lb/yr</b>	<b>47</b>

Cost Effectiveness Calculation for 30 Year Period	
Project Cost	\$440,000
cost/lb TN	\$9,327.22
Cost/lb TN / 30 years	\$310.91

\* based on the analytical results for total nitrogen performed by Advanced Environmental Laboratories on 5/15/2019.

**COST ESTIMATE FOR GRANT APPLICATION  
CITY OF CRYSTAL RIVER  
PELICAN BAY PACKAGE PLANT REMOVAL PROJECT**

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY		UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
1	PELICAN BAY PACKAGE PLANT DEMOLITION AND DECOMMISSION, LIFT STATION CONSTRUCTION, AND CONNECTION TO SEWER	1	LS	\$ 440,000	440,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>\$ 440,000.00</b>

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