

**GRANTS ACTIVITY REPORT**  
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<b>GRANTS UNDER CONSIDERATION</b>		<b>Grant Amt</b>	<b>Dept</b>	<b>Due Date</b>	<b>Status/Pending Action</b>
C009-0910	ARRA - Forest Health Improvement Initiative <i>(Project: Tree Plantings at Red Bug Lake Park)</i>	\$24,000	Leisure Svcs	2/12/10	<i>The request to submit an application for this non-matching grant program is slated for BCC consideration on 2/9/10. This is an ARRA funded grant program.</i>
Not assigned	Coastal Counties Restoration Initiative Program <i>(Project: TBD)</i>	\$100,000	Public Works	3/29/10	<i>Staff is reviewing guidelines to determine if an eligible and budgeted project is available.</i>
C006-0809	Drug Court Treatment - Continuation <i>(Project: Program Enhancements)</i>	\$299,867 annually for 3-years	Comm Svcs	3/5/10	<i>Information is required to receive year two funding for this three year grant. Staff is working with the grant consultant to prepare and submit the information.</i>
C010-0910	Fiskar's Orange Thumb <i>(Project: Raised Vegetable Garden at Extension Svcs)</i>	\$2,000	Leisure Svcs	2/19/10	<i>The application for this non-matching grant is being prepared by Master Garden volunteers.</i>
Not assigned	Land and Water Conservation <i>(Project: Resubmission for improvements to Lake Harney Wilderness Area)</i>	\$200,000	Leisure Svcs	4/15/10	<i>Staff is reviewing grant guidelines to determine if resubmission for improvements to the Lake Harney Wilderness Area is feasible. A request to resubmit an application would be presented to the BCC.</i>
Not assigned	Petfinder - Animal Rescue Shelter Challenge <i>(Project: Heartworm treatments; spay and neuter expenses)</i>	up to \$20,000	Public Safety	4/18/10	<i>A new cycle is open for voting. Although Animal Services is encouraging votes, efforts to publicize the program are minimal due to over saturation for the past two cycles.</i>
C013-0910	Safe Haven Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange <i>(Project: Resubmission - Partnership with SafeHouse of Seminole for Enhancements to Visitation and Exchange Program)</i>	\$450,000	Comm Svcs	3/10/10	<i>SafeHouse assumed responsibility of the Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange Program from the Salvation Army. SafeHouse is requesting partnership with Seminole County to resubmit an application for grant funding. A request to partner and apply for the grant is slated for BCC consideration on 2/23/10.</i>
C044-0809	Tennis in the Park Program with the USTA <i>(Proposed Projects: Resurface of Tennis Courts and Educational Programs)</i>	To be determined	Leisure Svcs	Ongoing	<i>Staff is reviewing guidelines and discussing needs with the United States Tennis Association. Anticipate submitting an application or series of applications requesting up to \$20,000.</i>

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C051-0809	American Heritage Preservation <i>(Project: Preservation of a historic map at the Museum)</i>	\$2,850	Leisure Svcs	9/15/09	<i>Staff prepared and submitted an application on 9/15/09 to conserve a dilapidated historical museum map. Awards are expected late February 2010.</i>
E005-0809	ARRA - Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Entitlement Program <i>(Project: TBD - Projects within the focus areas detailed in the Energy Strategy)</i>	\$2,625,100 (previously allocated)	Growth Mgmt and Central Svcs	11/24/09	<i>The second of two applications was submitted by the grant consultant on 11/20/09. Staff received a request for additional information from the Dept of Energy and is working with the consultant to respond accordingly.</i>
C047-0809	ARRA - Fire Station Construction Program <i>(Project: Construction of Fire Stations 19 and 29)</i>	\$2,500,000	Public Safety	7/10/09	<i>The application was prepared by staff, reviewed by the consultant, and submitted on 7/8/09. The first round of award was announced 10/2/09. Additional rounds are anticipated to be released throughout FY 09/10.</i>
T001-0910	ARRA - Transportation Grants (Phase 2) <i>(Project: Orange Blvd Bridge Replacement)</i>	Up to \$1,100,000	Public Works	11/10/09	<i>The Local Agency Participation agreement was approved by the BCC on 12/8/09. Staff is waiting for grant award from the state. Once notice of award is received, the state will execute the agreement and a budget amendment will be presented for BCC approval.</i>
T002-0910	ARRA - Transportation Grants (Phase 2) <i>(Project: Longwood/Lake Mary Rd Milling and Resurfacing)</i>	Up to \$1,100,000	Public Works	11/10/09	<i>The Local Agency Participation agreement was approved by the BCC on 12/8/09. Staff is waiting for grant award from the state. Once notice of award is received, the state will execute the agreement and a budget amendment will be presented for BCC approval.</i>
T003-0910	ARRA - Transportation Grants (Phase 3) <i>(Project: Rinehart Rd Resurfacing)</i>	\$261,601	Public Works	1/21/10	<i>The Local Agency Participation agreement is proposed for BCC approval on 2/23/10. Staff is waiting for grant award from the state. Once notice of award is received, the state will execute the agreement and a budget amendment will be presented for BCC approval.</i>
C004-0809	Assistance to Firefighters <i>(Project: Equipment for Fire Training Center)</i>	\$64,708	Public Safety	5/20/09	<i>Staff worked with the grant consultant to prepare and submit the application on 5/20/09. Awards are expected to be announced throughout FY 09/10.</i>

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C001-0910	Child Mental Health Initiatives <i>(Project: Resubmission - Partnership with CBC of Seminole, Inc., for child mental health programs)</i>	\$9,000,000	Comm Svcs	12/8/09	<i>The application prepared by CBC of Seminole was submitted on 12/7/09. Awards are expected to be announced by November 2010.</i>
E014-0809	Community Development Block Grant - Disaster Recovery <i>(Project: Repair of 46 homes damaged during Tropical Storm Faye)</i>	\$432,350	Comm Svcs	1/15/10	<i>Seminole County is eligible to receive additional CDBG funds through a disaster recovery program as a result of damage reports of Tropical Storm Faye. Staff worked with the grant consultant and submitted an application on 1/14/10. Official award of the allocation is expected following a site visit in March 2010.</i>
E001-0910	EMS County Grant <i>(Project: Tone Alerting; Simulation Lab; and Certification)</i>	\$307,688	Public Safety	1/29/10	<i>The application prepared by staff was submitted on 1/19/10. Official award of the allocation is expected in the Spring 2010.</i>
C007-0809	Fire Prevention and Safety Program <i>(Project: Resubmission for All Hazards Safety Trailer)</i>	\$36,000	Public Safety	3/6/09	<i>The application from the FY 08/09 cycle was revised and resubmitted on 3/6/09. Awards are expected to be announced throughout FY 09/10.</i>
C011-0910	Florida Exotic Pest Plant Council - Education Grant <i>(Non-Native Plant Student Outreach)</i>	\$1,000	Leisure Svcs	2/1/10	<i>The project would execute the community on how to identify non-native plants, mainly air potatoes. The application for this non-matching grant was submitted on 2/1/10. Awards are expected to be announced in April 2010.</i>
C010-0809	Hazard Mitigation <i>(Project: Window Shuttering for Fire Stations)</i>	\$45,681	Public Safety	4/6/09	<i>Seminole County received an award to shutter 12 fire stations. The remaining 5 stations in tier 2 are pending award once funds are available.</i>
n/a	Repetitive Flood Claim <i>(Project: Elevation of the Flihs Home)</i>	\$85,000	Public Safety	12/4/09	<i>Staff prepared and submitted an application on 12/4/09 as requested by the property owner and the state. If awarded, the grant would fund 100% of the cost to elevate the home. Awards are expected to be announced in the Fall 2010.</i>
C005-0910	Staffing for Adequate Emergency Response [SAFER] <i>(Project: Resubmission for staffing station 29)</i>	\$2,518,433	Public Safety	12/18/09	<i>The application prepared by staff and reviewed by the grant consultant was submitted on 12/23/09. Awards are expected to be announced throughout FY 10/11.</i>

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C043-0809	Supplemental Nutrition Program <i>(Project: Partnership with UF for a Family Nutrition Program)</i>	\$170,000	Comm Svcs	10/1/09	<i>Staff submitted Seminole County's portion of the proposal to UF for inclusion in their application submission. Notice of award/denial is expected by Spring 2010.</i>
M001-0910	Supportive Housing Program <i>(Project: Partnership with Homeless Services Network for continuum of care for disabled homeless persons)</i>	\$0	Comm Svcs	10/12/09	<i>Seminole County submitted a letter of support that detailed the Board's commitment to providing five (5) homes through the existing Neighborhood Stabilization Program. Award of the grant to Homeless Services Network is anticipated in the Summer 2010.</i>
<b>GRANTS AWARDED</b>		<u>Grant Amt</u>	<u>Dept</u>	<u>App Prep</u>	<u>Status/Pending Action</u>
C012-0910	Energizing Florida 4-H Programs <i>(Project: Partnership with Volusia County 4-H for Marketing 4-H Volunteerism)</i>	\$3,500	Leisure Svcs	Seminole and Volusia Counties	<i>The Seminole County 4-H Coordinator worked with the Volusia County 4-H Coordinator to submit a multi-county application. Funds will allow for both counties to market the 4-H Program to recruit volunteers. The grant will be managed by Volusia County.</i>
C003-0910	Gopher Tortoise Habitat Management <i>(Project: Forestry Maintenance at Lake Proctor Wilderness Area)</i>	\$20,000	Leisure Svcs	Leisure Svcs	<i>Staff prepared and submitted an application on 11/5/09 and received notice of award. A request for approval to accept the grant via a state-issued purchase order will be presented to the BCC for approval in March 2010.</i>
C002-0910	Petfinder - Animal Rescue Shelter Challenge <i>(Project: Heartworm treatments, spay and neuter expenses, and repair/replacement of dog beds)</i>	\$2,000	Public Safety	Countywide	<i>Staff publicized the need for votes and finished in 8th place. Award was for finishing in first for the state and for having the most votes in one week.</i>
T021-0809	Transportation, Community, and System Preservation (TCSP) <i>(Project: Widening of SR 46 from SR 415 to CR 426)</i>	\$570,000	Public Works	Public Works	<i>The grant was awarded to Seminole County for a PD&amp;E Study. Staff is working with the state to secure additional funding for the project design.</i>
C008-0910	Workforce Central Florida <i>(Project: Paramedic Training)</i>	\$12,417	Public Safety	Fiscal Services	<i>Staff prepared and submitted an application for paramedic training for the Spring 2010 session. Funds were awarded and training has begun. The grant provides reimbursement for 50% of the training costs.</i>

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<b>GRANTS DENIED</b>		<u>Grant Amt</u>	<u>Dept</u>	<u>App Prep</u>	<u>Reason for Denial</u>
C004-0910	Fireman's Fund Heritage - Bucket Brigade Program <i>(Project: Wildfire Shelters and Flare Equipment)</i>	\$10,848	Public Safety	Public Safety	<i>Funds were limited and priority was given to agencies with lower budgets.</i>
C052-0809	Stormwater Retrofit Section 319 Funding <i>(Project: Red Bug Lake Rd Stormwater Facility)</i>	\$323,078	Public Works	Public Works	<i>Funding priority was given to nonpoint source pollutant projects impacting water bodies. Program funding was limited as compared to the number of applicants.</i>
<b>GRANTS DECLINED</b>		<u>Grant Amt</u>	<u>Dept</u>	<u>Learned of</u>	<u>Reason for Declined Participation</u>
Not assigned	ARRA - Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Competitive Program <i>(Project: PACE Program)</i>	\$5M-\$75M	Admin Svcs	Consultant	<i>Under the recommendation of the grant consultant, staff declined the grant due to weakness in the project's organization and questionable eligibility.</i>
Not assigned	Assets for Independence <i>(Project: Assistance for Low-Income Citizens)</i>	up to \$1,000,000	Comm Svcs	Notified by Grantor	<i>Staff declined the current cycle to allow for additional time to organize a working group and a viable project. The program is offered three times per year. Will apply for a future cycle.</i>
Not assigned	Compressed Natural Gas Fleet and Station Program <i>(Project: TBD)</i>	\$200,000	Central Svcs	Notified by Grantor	<i>The Acting County Manager and staff mutually decided to decline the grant due to budget constraints.</i>
Not assigned	Five Star Restoration Program <i>(Project: TBD)</i>	\$40,000	Public Works	Notified by Grantor	<i>Declined as there were no projects that met the criteria (5 partners); however, may have something planned for Lake Jesup for next year's cycle.</i>
Not assigned	IMLS National Leadership Program <i>(Project: Boomer Entrepreneurship)</i>	up to \$1,000,000	Library Svcs	Fiscal Services	<i>Declined due to insufficient time to complete the application. Also staffing time and resources, and project sustainability were areas of concern.</i>
Not assigned	Offender Reentry Program <i>(Project: TBD)</i>	\$750,000	Comm Svcs	Consultant	<i>Staff is working to position the community to have a strategic plan in place so we can pursue this program next year. Additional time is needed to organize a task force and develop a plan.</i>
Not assigned	Visit Florida <i>(Project: TBD)</i>	\$5,000	Leisure Svcs	Tourism	<i>Additional time is needed to organize the projects and secure approval for any required match. There are several grants under the Visit Florida program and staff is preparing to apply next year.</i>