

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2023-763

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President Salem at the request of the Mayor

Date of Introduction: October 24, 2023

Committee(s) of Reference: F, TEU

Date of Analysis: October 26, 2023

Type of Action: Appropriation; CIP amendment

Bill Summary: The bill appropriates a total of \$231,758.00 in grant funds from the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) to reimburse the City for the funding of construction of pedestrian safety improvements on Park and Margaret Streets from Riverside Avenue to the I-95 Ramps. It amends the 24-28 Capital Improvement Plan to reflect this appropriation.

Background Information: The project provided for pedestrian safety improvements, including the addition of raised crosswalks, the upgrade of existing crosswalks, and re-timing signal controls on Park Street and Margaret Street from Riverside Avenue to the I-95 ramps in the Riverside Area in District 7. The appropriation receives and allocates FDOT's funding for the project; deferral of this amendment until the next CIP could result in the City losing the grant dollars.

Policy Impact Area: Pedestrian safety

Fiscal Impact: The bill appropriates \$231,758.00 in FDOT grant funds.

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