## FY 2012-13 Florida TaxWatch Turkey List

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	LINE		AMOUNT		H,S		
AGENCY			GR	TF		COUNTY	COMMENTS
DOS		Science and Discovery Center of NW Florida	\$250,000		С	Bay	Added in conference; Was not on the approved funding list, did not go through the grants process.
DOE	17	Brevard Community College - Public Safety Institute		\$14,000,000	С	Brevard	Added in conference. Low priority on 2nd year of Florida Colleges request (#80), #1 priority of college. Turkey, vetoed last year
APD	250	ARC of Florida	\$2,000,000		С	Brevard	Added in conference. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
APD	250	Brevard Achievement Center	\$1,000,000		С	Brevard	Added in conference. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
APD	250	Scott Center for Autism at the Florida Institute	\$121,668		С	Brevard	Added in conference. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
DEP	1683A	Eau Gallie River dredging	\$100,000		Н	Brevard	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOE	55C	Florida Institute of Technology - Enhanced Programs	\$1,000,000		С	Brevard	Added in conference. Additional funding for existing FIT program in same line item
DEO	Sect. 76	Economic Development Commission of Florida's Space Coast		\$10,000,000	С	Brevard	Added in conference.
DEP	1683A	Pembroke Park - Stormwater Retrofit	\$100,000		Н	Broward	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOT	1968A	SW 56th Ave. (MLK Blvd.) Trans. Enhancements- City of West Park		\$150,000	S	Broward	This project is in the work program, but this is additional or duplicative. Work program portion funded by federal dollars.
DOT	1968A	Traffic Improvements SW 190th Extension - Town of SW Ranches		\$243,000	С	Broward	Added in conference. Not in work program, this is a local road, not an appropriate use of STTF.
DOT	1968A	NW 21st Street Roadway Improvement - Lauderdale Lakes		\$500,000	С	Broward	Added in conference. Not in the work program. Funded FY 2010 but then deleted at the city's request.
DEO	2306A	Greater Caribbean Chamber of Commerce		\$50,000	С	Broward	Added in conference. Turkey/vetoed last year
DOS	3149A	Holocaust documentation and education center rail car renovation	\$500,000		S	Broward	Member project last year. Turkey/not vetoed. Did not go through grant process either year.
DOH	549B	Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital	\$250,000		С	Broward	Added in conference. Fixed capital outlay for private facility.
DOH		Broward Children's Center	\$500,000		S	Broward	Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection. Recurring funds, so project would be added to base.
DOE	19C	Fixed Capital Outlay - Carr Elementary and Middle School	\$300,000		С	Calhoun	Added in conference. Not funded through public school construction process.
DEP		Crystal River- Kings Bay	\$100,000		HS	Citrus	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOT		State Road 44 and Meadowcrest Blvd.		\$200,000	С	Citrus	Added in conference. Signage improvement. District advised local gov't that they cannot use state funds. Includes a private road.
DOT	1946	Maintenance Vehicle Replacement - Hialeah	\$72,769		С	Dade	Added in conference. Not in the work program. DOT does not typically fund local government equipment
DOT		Road Maintenance Equipment - Hialeah	\$196,846		С	Dade	Added in conference. Not in the work program. DOT does not typically fund local government equipment
DOT		Miami River - Lummus Park/ Docks & Piers for Commercial Use		\$100,000	S	Dade	Not in the work program, not an appropriate use of STTF, prohibited by law to use money for commercial use.
DOT	1968A	NW 25th Ave. Improvements- City of Miami Gardens		\$300,000	S	Dade	Not in work program, this is a local road, not an appropriate use of STTF.
DOT	1968A	Little River Canal Seawall Remediation Project- Village of El Portal		\$150,000	S	Dade	Not in work program, off system local project/ facility, Seawall remediation - may not be an appropriate use of STTF.
DEP	1683A	St. Johns River Restoration	\$5,600,000		Н	Duval	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DEP	1683A	St. Johns River - UNF study	\$400,000		HS	Duval	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOE	92A	Learn to Earn	\$302,800		С	Duval	Added in conference. No competitive process for School and Instructional Enhancements. Legislature should develop grant program.
DCF	345	Baptist Health Care Lakeview Center	\$1,500,000		С	Escambia	Added in conference. Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection.
DOT	1968A	Infrastructure Improvements - Port of Pensacola		\$2,000,000	С	Escambia	Added in conference. Port is in work program. May be duplicative.
DLE	1299	planning for construction of new Flagler County Jail	\$250,000		S	Flagler	Fixed capital outlay for county jail. Not usually funded by state
DOH	469	County-wide mobile health unit	\$200,000		S	Gadsden	Member project bypasses county health department contracting process. Turkey/vetoed last year.
Courts	3202A	Courthouse - Gadsden	\$50,000		С	Gadsden	Local courthouse funding added in conference
EOG	2624	Proviso for Glades County emergency operations center construction	\$5,000,000		Н	Glades	Turkey/Vetoed last year. Did not go through competitive process
DEP		Moore Haven - Stormwater improvement	\$100,000		Н	Glades	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
Courts		Courthouse - Glades	\$400,000		С	Glades	Local courthouse funding added in conference
DOT	1922	Seaport Grants - bulkhead repairs for Rural Areas of Critical Economic Concern		\$5,000,000	С	Gulf	Is not in the work program, did not go through grant process.
DEP		Hardee County - Wastewater Treatment	\$765,000		Н	Hardee	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
Courts		Courthouse - Hardee	\$325,000		С	Hardee	Local courthouse funding added in conference
DOS	3143	Captain Hendry House Rehabilitation - LaBelle	\$43,600		С	Hendry	Added in conference, did not go through a grants process, and has not had prior funding.
DEP		LaBelle - Wastewater Treatment Plan	\$2,318,172		Н	Hendry	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DEP		Hendry County - Airglades Airport	\$3,500,000		Н	Hendry	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOS		Firehouse Cultural Center	\$25,000		Н	Hendry	Was not on approved funding list, did not go through the grants process
Courts		Courthouse - Hendry	\$1,500,000		С	Hendry	Local courthouse funding added in conference
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DOE	87A Tune Into Reading	\$250,000		С	Hernando	Added in conference. Bypasses competitive grant selection process for reading programs.
DOE	17 South Florida State College - Rem/Ren Fire Fighting - Main	Ψ230,000	\$2,644,004	Н		3rd lowest priority on 3rd year list (#147), only on request list because added by Leg previously, T/V last year. #2 priority of college
DOE	87C AVID Highlands County	\$520,203	φ2,011,001	Н	-	No competitive process for Mentoring/Student Assistance Initiatives. Legislature should develop grant program for such projects.
DOC	805 Hillsborough Re-Entry Center	\$125,000		С		Added in conference.
DLA	1333 Family Justice Center	\$123,000		Ц		
		\$150,000		C		Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process. Would be recurring funding. Turkey/vetoed last year.
DOS				3		Was not recommended by DOS, did not go through a grants process, and has not had prior funding.
DEP	1683A Hillsborough Ave and 30th Street - Stormwater improvements	\$200,000	¢ ( 002 110	C		Added in conference. Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOE	17A University of South Florida - Heart Health Institute	¢252.1/2	\$6,893,118	С		Not on Board of Governors' request, not on 3 year priority list, added in conference
DEP	1683A Umatilla City Sewer	\$352,163		HS	Lake	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOE	92A Workforce and Career Enhancement - Lake County	\$52,314		С	Lake	Added in conference. This would restore reductions in workforce funding for two counties only.
DCF	Bob Janes Triage Center	\$250,000		С	Lee	Added in conference. Turkey/vetoed last year. Bypasses Local Matching Grant Program  Vessel last year all to DOLL. These is an existing Children's Harrist of SW. Florida et Lee Managini.
DOH	Planning and design for a new Children's hospital to serve Southwest Florida	\$1,500,000		Н	Lee	Vetoed last year. Not requested by DOH. There is an existing Children's Hospital of SW Florida at Lee Memorial.
ACS	1443A Lehigh Acres Wildfire Suppression	\$100,000		S	Lee	Expiring federal grant. Only local community to receive this state wildfire suppression funding to replace federal funds.
DEP	1683A Imperial River - Oak Creek	\$250,000		Н	Lee	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOE	87C Southwest Florida Destination Graduation Program	\$3,250,000		Н	Lee	No competitive process for Mentoring/Student Assistance Initiatives. Legislature should develop grant program for such projects.
DOS	3141B Historic Property Planning for Wallwood Plantation	\$250,000		С	Leon	Added in conference. Not part of historic grant process
DOS	3148A The Grove - Purchase of adjacent property and development	\$2,500,000		С	Leon	Added in conference. DOS did not request this appropriation.
DOS	3174A Heritage Trail Net Work Black History House	\$300,000		С	Leon	Added in conference; Was not on the approved funding list, did not go through the grants process.
DOS	3174B Florida African-American Heritage Preservation Network	\$250,000		S	Leon	Was not recommended by DOS, did not go through a grants process. Has had prior funding.
DOE	19B Fixed Capital Outlay - Liberty County Public School	\$150,000		S	Liberty	Not funded through public school construction process. Turkey, vetoed last year.
DCF	346 Manatee Children's Crisis Stabilization Unit	\$750,000		С	Manatee	Added in conference. Bypasses competitive selection.
DEP	Proviso for completion of Rainbow Springs Restoration Plan		\$60,000	С	Marion	Was in Senate budget, but in a different agency (GFC) and from trust fund. This GR funding in DEP added in conference
DEP	1683A Belleview - South 441	\$1,500,000		HS	Marion	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
APD	250 ARC of Martin County	\$35,000		С	Martin	Added in conference. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
APD	250 Dan Marino Project	\$500,000		С	Miami-Dade	Added in conference. Turkey/veto last year. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
DCF	345 Camillus House	\$250,000		С	Miami-Dade	Added in conference. Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection.
DCF	345 Citrus Health Network	\$455,000		С	Miami-Dade	Added in conference. Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection.
DCF	New Horizons Community Mental Health Center	\$100,000		С	Miami-Dade	Added in conference. Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection.
DCF	379 Richmond Heights Resource Center	\$100,000		S	Miami-Dade	Turkey/vetoed last year. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
DCF	Goulds Coalition of Ministries and Lay People	\$100,000		С	Miami-Dade	Added in conference. Turkey/vetoed last year. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
DOEA	404 Mt. Sinai Brain Bank	\$100,000		С	Miami-Dade	Added in conference. Bypasses allocation process of Alzheimer's funding by Department
DOH	477 Crohn's Disease and Ulcerative Colitis Project	\$500,000		S	Miami-Dade	Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection. Turkey/vetoed last year.
DOS	3143 Historical Log Cabin - Biscayne Park	\$150,000		S	Miami-Dade	Was not recommended by DOS, did not go through a grants process, and has not had prior funding.
DEP	1683A Hialeah Stormwater Rehabilitation	\$140,000		HS	Miami-Dade	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DEP	1683A Miami River Environmental Enhancement	\$100,000		HS	Miami-Dade	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DEO	2292A Improvements to Miami Design District in Enterprise Zones	\$5,000,000		С	Miami-Dade	Added in conference. Does require 50% local match
DEO	2306A CAMACOL Florida Trade		\$300,000	S	Miami-Dade	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2306A CAMACOL Film		\$150,000	S	Miami-Dade	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2306B Hialeah Chamber of Commerce and Industries		\$100,000	S	Miami-Dade	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DOS	3174A Family Empowerment and Intervention - North Miami	\$100,000		S		Was not on the approved funding list, did not go through the grants process.
DOS	3174A Bay of Pigs Museum	\$500,000		S		Was not on the approved funding list, did not go through the grants process.
DOEA	418A City of Hialeah Senior Citizen Center	\$500,000		S		Construction of private facility. No process for determining Senior Center capital outlay needs
DOEA	418A Mildred Pepper Senior Center	\$1,000,000		S		Construction of private facility. No process for determining Senior Center capital outlay needs
DOH	549B Emergency power/infrastructure for statutory teaching hospital on barrier island	\$5,000,000		Н		This is Mount Sinai Medical Center. Not requested. Rarely would FCO go to this type of project.
DOH	556A Autism Center of Miami	\$100,000		S		Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection. Recurring funds, so project would be added to base.
DOE	55C University of Miami - Institute for Cuban and Cuban American Studies	\$100,000		С		Added in Conference. Turkey, vetoed last year. Funding for private college. No real process for review.
DOE	55C Barry University - School of Podiatry	\$200,000		Н		Turkey/vetoed last year. Funding for private college. No real process for review. Legislature should address private college funding
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DCF	350	New Horizons of the Treasure Coast	\$500,000		С	Multiple	Added in conference. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
DOEA	404	Alzheimer's Community Care Assn.	\$150,000		С	Multiple	Added in conference. Bypasses allocation process of Alzheimer's funding by Department
DOH	477	Midwifery Services for the Treasure Coast	\$360,000		S	Multiple	Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection.
DEP	1645A	South Florida WMD flood mitigation inventory and implementation plan		\$4,000,000	С	Multiple	Added late in conference. DEP supportive but was not involved in appropriation.
DJJ	1203	ITN - comprehensive planning process - transition focused case mgt	\$2,450,000		S	N/A	No information about this item available. Invitation to Negotiate (ITN) indicates specific vendor, bypassing competition.
DEO	2252	Pre-Apprenticeship Certificate Training (PACT) program for vets.		\$750,000	S	N/A	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2304B	Hispanic Business Initiative Fund Outreach Program		\$775,000	Н	N/A	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2306A	Southeast U.S./ Japan & FLOR KOR		\$200,000	S	N/A	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DOE	92	National Center for Sports Safety	\$300,000		Н	NA	Not requested by agency, An online course for volunteer coaches, the Center is based in Alabama
DOC	746	pilot program - remote transcription services	\$250,000		С	NA	Added in conference.
DLA	1333	Council on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys	\$100,000		С	NA	Council receives funding in base budget, this additional funding was added in conference.
DCF	377A	National Veterans Support Group	\$1,000,000		С	NA	Added in conference. Turkey/vetoed last year.
DOE	92A	Integrated Technology Pilot Project	\$850,000		С	NA	Added in conference. No competitive process for School and Instructional Enhancements. Legislature should develop grant program.
DOE	92A	Valparaiso STEM Middle School	\$389,825		С	Okaloosa	Added in conference. No competitive process for School and Instructional Enhancements. Legislature should develop grant program.
DEP	1683A	Okeechobee - Park of Commerce - Stormwater	\$200,000		Н	Okeechobee	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DEP	1683A	Okeechobee - Stormwater retrofit	\$250,000		Н	Okeechobee	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DEP	1683A	Okeechobee Utility Authority - Wastewater Improvements	\$550,000		Н	Okeechobee	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
APD	250	Quest Kids	\$650,000		С	Orange	Added in conference. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
DCF	366	Recovery House of Central Florida	\$1,560,000		С	Orange	Added in conference. Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process.
DOH	477	Apopka Family Health Center	\$500,000		S	Orange	Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection. Turkey/vetoed last year.
DOT	1917	Aviation Grants - Greater Orlando AA - Orlando Executive Airport		\$1,118,000	Н	Orange	Is not in the work program, did not go through a grants process and there is not request at the local level.
DOT	1918	LYNX rout serving - Orlando International Airport and Lake Buena Vista		\$1,200,000	Н	Orange	Is not in the work program, did not go through a grants process.
DEO	2280B	Economic Gardening Technical Assistance Program		\$2,000,000	Н	Orange	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2292A	Renaissance of the Parramore Neighborhood in Downtown Orlando	\$900,000		S	Orange	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2292A	Pine Hills Neighborhood Redevelopment Project	\$2,000,000		S	Orange	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2292A	Dr. JB Callahan Neighborhood Center in Parramore	\$1,000,000		S	Orange	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2306A	Entrepreneurial Academy of African American Chamber of Commerce		\$100,000	С	Orange	Added in conference.
DEO	2306B	West Orange County Economic Development Business Center		\$1,000,000	Н	Orange	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2306B	Central FL Life Sciences Incubator Consortium		\$5,000,000	Н	Orange	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2306B	UCF Florida Small Business Incubator		\$1,000,000	Н	Orange	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DEO	2306B	Central Florida Sports Commission, major league soccer training		\$1,000,000	Н	Orange	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DOS	3174A	Spence Lanier Pioneer Enrichment Center	\$150,000		Н	Osceola	Was not on approved funding list, did not go through the grants process.
DLE	1299	Boca Raton - Security for presidential debate at Lynn University	\$250,000		С	Palm Beach	Added in conference.
DEP	1683A	Palm Beach County Water Treatment - Glades area	\$1,000,000		С	Palm Beach	Added in conference. Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOT	1968A	Eco. Dev. Trans. Project on 13th St. in Riviera Beach		\$500,000	S	Palm Beach	Not in work program, this is a local road, not an appropriate use of STTF.
DEO	2292A	Torry Island Master Plan Development	\$50,000		С	Palm Beach	Added in conference.
DOH	579	FAMU/UF/FSU/FAU- training for students/operation of 2 panhandle clinics	\$1,600,000		S	Panhandle	New program. Operating funds for local clinics - who will pay for operations in the future?
DCF	323	Pasco Co. Sheriff's Office - Grants to Sheriffs for protective investigations	\$1,000,000		С	Pasco	Added in conference to \$4.6 million in funding in the base. Only Sheriff's Office singled out for extra funding.
DCF	366	Pasco County Drug Initiative	\$1,000,000		С	Pasco	Added in conference. Bypasses competitive contracting process.
DJJ	1274A	Boys and Girls Club facility in Lacoochee	\$1,000,000		Н	Pasco	Construction of private facility
DOC	776	WestCare Foundation	\$350,000		С	Pasco, Pinellas	WestCare receives other funding in budget. However, this funding was added in conference.
DOE	17	St. Petersburg College - Bay Pines Marine Science Labs/Classrooms		\$2,500,000	С	Pinellas	Added in conference. Not on 3-year Division of Florida Colleges request, #2 priority of college
DCF	345	Pinellas Receiving Facility	\$250,000		С	Pinellas	Added in conference. Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection. Does not specify non-recurring funding.
DEP	1731A	Habitat Park - Seminole Campus St/ Petersburg College		\$100,000	S	Pinellas	DEP not familiar with project, did not go through local park funding process
DEO	2306B	Florida Holocaust Museum - St. Pete		\$150,000	S	Pinellas	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DOE	92A	Center for Digital Learning and Education	\$2,000,000		С	Pinellas	Added in conference. No competitive process for School and Instructional Enhancements. Legislature should develop grant program.
DOS		Lake Wales Art Council	\$50,000		S	Polk	Was not on approved funding list, did not go through the grants process. It has received funding in the past.
DOE	92A	Our Children's Academy	\$100,000		С	Polk	Added in conference. No competitive process for School and Instructional Enhancements. Legislature should develop grant program.

DEP	1683A Santa Rosa County - Navarre Pass Study	\$150,000		HS	Santa Rosa	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
APD	, ,	\$1,000,000		S	Sarasota	•
	Loveland Center, Inc. in Sarasota County			_		Specifying local provider bypasses competitive contracting process. Turkey/vetoed last year.
DOE	92A Girls Incorporated of Sarasota County	\$100,000		S	Sarasota	No competitive process for School and Instructional Enhancements. Legislature should develop grant program for such projects.
DEO	2306B Rowing Center in Sarasota	\$4,000,000	\$1,000,000	S	Sarasota	Not recommeding a veto, but further review by Gov, DEO and EFI. See note on line-item list and in report.
DCF	Seminole Behavioral Health	\$350,000		С	Seminole	Added in conference. Specifying provider bypasses competitive selection. Does not specify non-recurring funding.
DOS	Government House Interpretive Film And Exhibit	\$1,500,000		S	St. Johns	Member project last year. Turkey/not vetoed. Did not go through grant process either year. Is state owned property.
DOS	Government House Museum Renovations	\$1,000,000		S	St. Johns	Member project last year. Turkey/not vetoed. Did not go through grant process either year. Is state owned property.
DOS	3180A Hotel Ponce de Leon Solarium - Flagler College	\$350,000		С	St. Johns	Approved for a different Small Matching grant for \$50,000. However it was added to this FCO category in conf (\$350K)
DOE	92A Workforce and Career Enhancement - St. Johns County	\$195,217		С	St. Johns	Added in conference. This would restore reductions in workforce funding for two counties only.
DEP	1683A St. Lucie River Environmental Enhancement	\$100,000		HS	St. Lucie	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOT	1968A Fairgreen Road Extension		\$1,100,000	С	St. Lucie	Added in conference. Not in work program, this is a local road, not an appropriate use of STTF.
DOH	477 Mary Brogan Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program	\$1,236,473		С	Statewide	Added in conference. Program is authorized in statutes. However, has never received GR funding through DOH.
DEP	1683A Sumter County - Lake Panasoffkee study	\$35,000		HS	Sumter	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOE	17 Daytona State College - Rem/Add Bldg 220 - Stu Svc/Clsrm/Office - Daytona		\$2,400,000	Н	Volusia	2nd lowest priority on 3rd year of DFC request (#148), only on request because added by Leg previously, T/V last year. #3 priority of college
DOE	17 Daytona State College - Rem/Add Bldg 314 - Thermal Storage		\$3,012,000	Н	Volusia	Lowest priority on 3rd year of DFC request (#149), only on request list because added by Leg. previously, Turkey, vetoed last year.
DCF	367 Project Warm	\$2,000,000		S	Volusia	Been funded before but significantly increased. Not requested by DCF. \$1 million would be recurring (conf). GR increased in conf.
DEP	Port Orange - Dunlawton Ave Flooding and draining	\$1,250,000		HS	Volusia	Lack of review process. See comments on line-item sorted list and in report.
DOT	1968A Dunlawton Ave. (SR421) Flooding/Drainage/ Evac. Improvement Project		\$1,250,000	С	Volusia	Added in conference. \$250,000 in the work program, state's share for drainage issues. This is additional.
DOE	17 Tallahassee Community College - New Wakulla Environmental Institute		\$4,500,000	Н	Wakulla	Not on 3-year Division of Florida Colleges request, not on college's Capital Improvement Plan
DOT	1968A West End Bridge Crossing		\$500,000	С	Walton	Added in conference. Turkey, vetoed last year. Local facility, not in work program.
	TOTALS	\$92,877,050	\$77,995,122			
	FINAL TOTAL	159 ITEMS	\$170,872,172			

Water Projects Comments:

Florida TaxWatch is recommending a veto of all the Water Projects in line item 1683A due to a lack of a proper review and selection process. Section 403.885, Florida Statutes, provides for the Water Projects Grants Program, under which the Department of Environmental Protection is required to administer the grant program and evaluate the proposals. The department did not review proposals for any of these projects and did not participate in their selection. Water projects have been popular area for member projects over the years and if the legislature chooses to fund these local projects, then a thorough review process should be undertaken. The statutory criteria for funding water projects have been weakened over the years, but even the current statutory review process, however insufficient in may be, was not followed. DEP also has other grant and loan programs through which local water projects can apply for funding and for which some of these projects may have qualified to apply.

Economic Development Projects Comments:

For all these economic development items, Florida TaxWatch is not recommending a straight veto, but recommends that the Governor, along with the Department of Economic Opportunity and Enterprise Florida, make an assessment of each project. The assessment should determine if the projects are consistent with the goals of DEO and the state economic development program, that there is a reasonable assurance that they will provide new jobs and a positive return on investment, and that there are accountability and performance measures in place to safeguard the taxpayers' investment. If any of these projects do not meet those standards, the Governor should veto them.