



**SHIRLEY CONROY RURAL AREA  
CAPITAL ASSISTANCE GRANT  
REQUEST FOR FUNDING**

DATE SUBMITTED	April 11, 2025
LEGAL NAME OF REQUESTING CTC	Levy County Board of County Commissioners
FEDERAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	59-6000717
REGISTERED ADDRESS	P.O. Box 310
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE	Bronson, FL 32621
CONTACT PERSON FOR THIS GRANT	Connie Conley
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PROJECT LOCATION [County(ies)]	Levy
PROPOSED START DATE	July 1, 2026
AMOUNT OF FUNDING REQUESTED (90%)	\$155,547.00 Redi at 100%

<p><b><u>CTC REPRESENTATIVE AUTHORIZATION AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</u></b></p> <p>I hereby certify that this request has been duly authorized by the governing body of the CTC. The CTC also certifies that it has reviewed and understands the Grant Program Manual and intends to complete the project in compliance with all grant program requirements if the assistance is awarded.</p>	<p><b><u>LOCAL COORDINATING BOARD APPROVAL</u></b></p> <p>I hereby certify that this request for funding has been reviewed in its entirety by the Local Coordinating Board.</p>
Signature Of Authorized Representative	Coordinating Board Chairperson's Signature
Date	Date
Connie Conley	Desiree Mills
Name of Authorized Representative and Title	Name of LCB Chairperson

**JUSTIFICATION FOR EQUIPMENT REQUESTED** (must include specific details supporting the need, the impact/value the equipment will provide to the coordinated system. If space provided is not enough for explanation of need, please attach an additional page):

The Levy County Board of County Commissioners/Levy County Transit currently has a fleet of 9 Cutaway vehicles. There are 6 of these vehicles being used on a daily basis. There are two additional vehicles in the fleet. One of the additional vehicles being a Transit vehicle. This vehicle is used when there are only a few riders that cannot be scheduled on the daily routes. It is a small vehicle with only 1 wheel chair position, so it is utilized in place of a 14 passenger vehicle, thus saving on gas. The final vehicle in the fleet is a 20 passenger vehicle, with 2 wheelchair positions, but is not utilized except when there are more than 14 passengers that need to be transported, such as the students at the two private schools that transportation is provided to. Of the 9 Cutaway vehicles, there are 5 that have mileages beginning at 175,000 - 221,800 miles. The ages of the 5 vehicles are from 2016 - 2020. The average monthly mileage is approximately 4,400 miles per vehicle. This mileage is based on the past 6 months. All vehicles are serviced within the 5,000 mile service, as written in the maintenance policy and maintained exceptionally well between services. There has been an increase of costs associated with the vehicles that are older. This agency only acquired one new vehicle in 2024. Prior to that was the year 2022. With this agency not being funded out of the general budget by the Levy County Board of County Commissioners, this agency solely depends of grant funding for operational and capital needs. At this time there is a need to replace at least one of the older vehicles. By the time a new vehicle is acquired, several of the older vehicles will be past the age and mileage, therefore becoming backup vehicles. The new vehicle can help to save this agency money in the operating budget.

**DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL EQUIPMENT REQUESTED:**

**Vehicles**

1, 2, 3, etc. +	(R) or (E)*	Fuel Type **	Description/Vehicle Type/Procurement Source	Quantity	Estimated Cost (from Order Form)
1	R	G	Ford E450 - 14 Passenger or 8 Passenger 2 Wheelchair with 1,000 lb. lift, 4 cameras, and Reverse camera and backing system	1	\$155,547.00

+ Prioritization of Need

\*Replacement (R) or Expansion (E)

\*\* Fuel Type – D=Diesel G=Gas A=Alternative

**Other Equipment Requested (NOT as part of a Vehicle Purchase)**

1, 2, 3, etc. +	Description	Quantity	Estimated Cost

+ Prioritization of Need

<b>Total Project Cost</b>	(100%)	\$155,547.00
Less Local Match	(10%) *	\$0.00
Transportation Disadvantaged Trust Funds	(90%)	\$155,547.00

SOURCE OF REQUIRED LOCAL MATCH:

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CURRENT VEHICLE INVENTORY**

**NAME OF CTC:** \_\_\_\_\_

Model Year	Chassis Make and Model	Vehicle Identification Number (17 Digits)	Maximum Ambulatory/ Wheelchair Passenger Seating	Average Vehicle Miles Per Year	Current Mileage as of (Date)	Anticipated Retirement Year	Source of Funding

**NOTE:** Identify the Vehicle(s) that would be replaced with this or other grants by placing \* next to the model year.