COVID-19 ECONOMIC RECOVERY ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

The South Florida Region has seen a massive impact on our economy due to COVID-19. The South Florida Regional Planning Council is here to be a source of information, resources & initiatives important for the speedy economic recovery of our region.

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IDENTIFY ISSUES & SOLUTIONS

Strengthen and secure ideas



- Identify the extent of economic distress caused by the COVID-19 Pandemic.
- Work with elected officials and government staff to identify solutions.
- Identify grant opportunities for economic recovery and projects.

COORDINATE PARTNERS

Working Together



- Serve as a liaison between local, state, and federal partners in order to speed the recovery process.
- Prepare economic recovery and long-term resiliency plans.
- Provide research as needed.

DEVELOP PLANS

Communicating your vision



- Develop plans and activities that support economic diversification, job creation, capital investment, workforce development and training opportunities.
- Provide technical assistance and augment local capacity to further recovery efforts.

IMPLEMENT SOLUTIONS

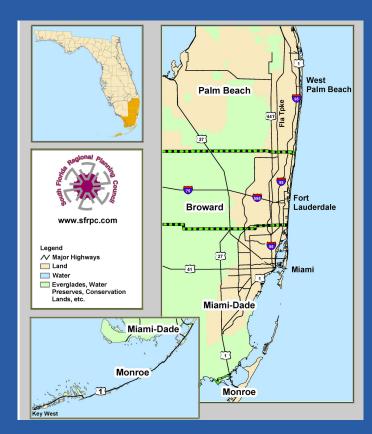
Becoming Economically Resilient



- Implement economic recovery and resilience plans with the goal of rebuilding resilient and sustainable communities throughout the South Florida Region.
- Assist with grant writing.



The South Florida Regional Planning Council (SFRPC) was established in 1969 and serves its member local governments as a multipurpose agency in the areas of economic development, emergency planning, transportation assistance and more. Our geographic areas of responsibility encompass Broward County, Miami-Dade, and Monroe County, and all of their municipalities. The SFRPC is a cost effective resource to member local governments when time, staff and/or funding is limited.



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

We coordinate efforts within the Region and develop a Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy Plan that provides a set of guiding principles for community leaders to set common economic development goals and priorities for action. Other economic development initiatives include the Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Program, CARES Act RLF, Brownfields Partnership & Clean-Up, SE Florida Community Development Fund Inc., Economic Forecasting Partnership and New Market Tax Credits.

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

The South Florida Local Emergency Planning Committee (SFLEPC) is housed within the Council and serves Broward, Miami-Dade, and Monroe counties. The SFLEPC was established by Congress in an effort to assist local governments with protecting public health, safety, and the environment from chemical hazards and releases.

TRANSPORTATION & ALT FUELS

Transit Oriented Development and the Clean Cities program are two areas that the Council works with constituent local governments to address technical transportation issues, provide transportation modeling services, and outreach & policy support for alternative fuels & idle reduction.

RESILIENCY & SEA-LEVEL RISE

As part of the Southeast Florida Regional Climate Change Compact, the Council actively participates in climate change related pre-planning and coordinating efforts across the region. Council staff aids in understanding the challenges occurring in our local area, best possible resiliency practices, and mapping the changing shoreline.

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT & LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN REVIEW

We offer services to municipalities to review plans for issues of regional significance through the Enhancements to Local Government Comprehensive Plans Progress and the Improvements to Developments of Regional Impact (DRIs) programs. Activities involve review of newly adopted comp plans, plan amendments, Evaluation and Appraisal Reports on comp plan performance and coordination of multi-jurisdictional agency review of large-scale development projects, which may impact more than one County.

MAPPING AND GEOSPATIAL ANALYSES

The Council offers GIS Services and tools to inform decision-making and to foster partnerships and other Technical Assistance services on a case by case basis.