

## OFFICE OF LOCAL DEFENSE COMMUNITY COOPERATION

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Matthew Coughlin Airport Director City of Pensacola 222 West Main Street Pensacola, FL 32502-5743

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Dear Director Coughlin:

In response to your proposal for a Military Aircraft Parking Apron project in support of Naval Air Station Pensacola under the Fiscal Year 2023 Defense Community Infrastructure Pilot Program, this correspondence formally invites the City of Pensacola to make an application for grant funding of not more than \$4,952,000 in Federal funding, for a total \$4,952,000 project with the Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation on or before 5 p.m. PDT on Friday, August 25, 2023.

This invitation reflects the ranking your proposal received from the Defense Community Infrastructure Pilot Program Review Panel as well as the amount of appropriations available for this program. It is imperative for this application to remain materially consistent with the scope and funding of the proposal you provided in response to the March 24, 2023, Defense Community Infrastructure Pilot Program Notice of Funding Opportunity, including the scope, construction-ready status, validation of cost estimates, and status of funding sources. If the City of Pensacola is unable to submit a grant application, or if we determine the submitted application materially differs from the proposal that was considered and ranked by the Review Panel, this invitation may be revoked.

A complete grant application by the above date ensures we can perform our due diligence to ensure the project being funded is reasonable, allowable, and allocable, and issue an award to be countersigned no later September 22, 2023, to ensure the complete obligation of funding available for this program.

To assist with this application and to carry out the proposed infrastructure enhancement, Mauricio Castro is available to assist you as your Project Manager at jose.m.castro81.civ@mail.mil or (202) 308-3886. We look forward to working with the City of Pensacola to enable the completion of this important project.

Sincerely

Patrick J. O'Brien

Director