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The Honorable Martin Heinrich Chairman Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Washington, DC 20510 The Honorable John Hoeven Ranking Member Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Heinrich and Ranking Member Hoeven:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2025 Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. None of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending are for-profit entities.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Casey, Jr. United States Senator

Casey, Robert(D-PA) Agriculture Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Delaware Highlands Conservancy, Inc.	Delaware Highlands Conservancy seeks funding to create a new Conservation Education Center by renovating an existing two-story structure on the Van Scott Nature Reserve, converting it to a sustainable and accessible center for environmental education.	Beach Lake, Wayne County PA	\$500
Brighton Township	Brighton Township seeks finding to build a fire department fire training facility to address the needs of emergency personnel training in a rural area of Beaver County, Pennsylvania.	Beaver County PA	\$500
Borough of Ambridge	The Borough of Ambridge seeks funding to build a new senior wellness and community center that will support multigenerational, and racially and ethnically diverse community gatherings.	Beaver County PA	\$2,000
Bowmanstown Volunteer Fire Co.	The Bowmanstown Volunteer Fire Company seeks funding to build a new fire station that will be large enough to house the borough hall. The new station will address space concerns and provide new facilities to ensure volunteer firefighters aren't exposed to harmful carcinogens.	Bowmanstown, Carbon County PA	\$750
Active Aging, Inc.	Active Aging Inc., the Area Agency on Aging in Crawford County, seeks funding to construct a new community center in Cambridge Springs. This facility will help promote the independence and wellbeing of older adults living in the rural community as well as provide a multiuse community center.	Cambridge Springs, Crawford County PA	\$500
East Brady Borough	The Borough of East Brady seeks funding for the renovation of the Easy Brady Community Center a vital community facility for residents of rural southern Clarion County and northern Armstrong County that contains East Brady's Borough Offices and other facilities for community use.	Clarion County PA	\$488
Danville Area Community Center	The project would help the Danville Area Community Center renovate its existing 38,000 square foot facility space to provide child care programs, social and human services programs, and health and wellness programs.	Danville, Montour County PA	\$1,000
Borough of Emporium	The Borough of Emporium is seeking funding to make critical upgrades to its 60 year old town hall. These upgrades will include improvements to ADA accessibility, energy efficiency, and safety.	Emporium, Cameron County PA	\$175
The Center For Youth and Community Development	The Center For Youth and Community Development seeks funding to build a multilingual and multicultural center for education and access to services in a rural, agricultural region of southcentral, Adams County, Pennsylvania.	Gettysburg, Adams County PA	\$500
Hanover Borough	The Borough of Hannover seeks funding to renovate an existing municipal building to create a Hanover Borough Public Safety Building, the future home of Hanover Police Department and the Hanover Fire Department Administration.	Hanover, York County PA	\$1,000
Borough of Kulpmont	The Borough of Kulpmont requests funding for the installation of solar panels to supply power for 100 percent of the Borough's municipal electricity consumption, streetlight rental costs, and building HVAC needs.	Kulpmont, Northumberland County PA	\$750
Mifflin County Board of Commissioners	Mifflin County Board of Commissioners requests funding for structural improvements to the exterior of the main courthouse and to replace the HVAC with an energy-efficient system, which will help ensure continuous operation of courthouse facilities and essential services provided to the community.	Lewistown, Mifflin County PA	\$350

Marion Township	The Township of Marion in Beaver County, Pennsylvania, is requesting funding to plan and construct a new rural multipurpose community center that will double as an emergency evacuation point. This building will replace the old deteriorating building and serve the community and emergency personnel.	Marion Township, Berks County PA	\$370
County of McKean	The County of McKean is seeking funding to upgrade broadband sites and towers of the county-owned fixed wireless network. This upgrade will improve spectral efficiency, enhance reliability, extend coverage, minimize latency, and allow for scalability for future investments. Locations serviceable at	McKean County PA	\$617
Borough of Palmerton	The Borough of Palmerton seeks funding for the construction of a new police station to provide much needed additional space and capacity for the department.	Palmerton, Carbon County PA	\$2,300
Township of Tyrone	To replace an inaccessible building with an ADA-compliant EMS Training and Community Center that will serve as a multipurpose facility for hosting local government meetings, clubs, and non-profits, as well as EMS meetings and training.	Perry County PA	\$560
Moshannon Valley EMS	To upgrade Moshannon Valley's EMS and Training Facility to improved services to the community and provide EMS education and jobs in the EMS field.	Phillipsburg, Centre County PA	\$2,073
Crary Hose Company	This project would help the Crary Hose Volunteer Fire Company build a new fire station that would also serve as a training facility and emergency evacuation site for the surrounding communities in Tioga and Potter Counties. The funding would help construct a new steel building and new facilities.	Westfield, Tioga County PA	\$1,286
Old Lycoming Township Volunteer Fire Company	To expand their Regional Emergency Services Hub facility, which would provide proper building accommodations to establish an immersive live-in training program for student live-in first responders.	Williamsport, Lycoming County PA	\$650