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May 31, 2024

The Honorable Jeanne Shaheen Chairwoman Appropriations Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Washington, DC 20510 The Honorable Jerry Moran Ranking Member Appropriations Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairwoman Shaheen and Ranking Member Moran:

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 Commerce, Justice, Science, 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) Commerce, Justice and Science Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Gwen's Girls	This project supports the expansion of a STEM education and workforce development program, which is targeted toward disadvantaged youth. The program would empower girls with the academic skills and support to embark on careers in STEM fields, in which they have historically been underrepresented.	Allegheny PA	\$325
Borough of Carnegie	The Carnegie Police Department seeks funding to update different police technology systems, including their radio system, fingerprinting system, and thermal imaging cameras.	Allegheny PA	\$43
Keystone Space Collaborative	This project will support the establishment of and creation of programming for the Keystone Space Innovation Center in Pittsburgh, which will focus on space industry growth and ecosystem development, R&D commercialization, stakeholder education, and workforce development.	Allegheny PA	\$500
Warminster Township Police Department	The Warminster Police Department seeks to upgrade the portable and mobile fleet radios to ensure seamless communication and interoperability in order to maximize public safety for the community and the safety of first responders.	Bucks PA	\$665
Carbon County Commissioners	Schuylkill and Carbon Counties seek to fund an interoperable communications system to develop a region-wide communication, dispatch, and recording network for first responders and law enforcement.	Carbon PA	\$1,000
Central Counties Youth Center	The Central Counties Youth Center is seeking funding to modernize its facility to improve the efficiency, security, safety, and wellbeing for its juvenile residents and staff members.	Centre PA	\$300
Charles A. Melton Arts & Education Center	The Melton Center seeks funding to expand its Youth and Adult Culinary Workforce Training Program to provide at-risk and justice-involved individuals with culinary training and critical wraparound services to foster long-term positive outcomes for the participants and Chester County.	Chester PA	\$250
Clinton County	Clinton County aims to use this funding to complete their public safety radio upgrades, which will enhance all public safety communications to a P25 Digital Compliance status and improve coverage for first responders. This funding will make the county's safety radios a fully "trunked" system.	Clinton PA	\$1,500
Pennsylvania School Boards Association	The Pennsylvania School Board Association seeks funding for the Pennsylvania School Safety Institute (PennSSI) to expand its capacity to provide invaluable safety and security training to more school and law enforcement personnel.	Cumberland PA	\$1,855
Pennsylvania Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force	The Pennsylvania Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force seeks funding to update the technology needed to analyze and extract digital evidence used to identify both victims and offenders of online child exploitation.	Delaware PA	\$500
City of Chester	The City of Chester seeks funds to implement city-wide LPR cameras on behalf of the Chester Police Department, which will assist the police department in tracking and locating vehicles that commit vehicle theft, illegal dumping, and other crimes city-wide.	Delaware PA	\$450
City of Scranton	The City of Scranton is seeking funding to update its public safety camera system and supporting network.	Lackawanna PA	\$1,000
Dunmore Borough	Dunmore Borough seeks funding to purchase new police cruisers.	Lackawanna PA	\$288

County of Lehigh	Lehigh County seeks funding to replace its aged public-safety radio system with a modern, state-of-the-art network that will improve communications and provide seamless interoperability with other local, state, and federal agencies.	Lehigh PA	\$2,000
City of Wilkes-Barre	The City of Wilkes-Barre seeks funding to purchase new police vehicles to reduce crime and significantly improve the current community policing strategies used to target quality of life crimes.	Luzerne PA	\$522
Big Brothers Big Sisters Independence Region	Big Brothers Big Sisters Independence Region is seeking to fund the Embedded In-School Mentoring program, which aims to create safe, nurturing learning environments by leveraging different mentoring strategies within schools themselves.	Montgomery PA	\$650
Montgomery County Community College	This project would help Montgomery County Community College's Challenger Learning Center expand its space education programming for middle school students. Funding would also enable the center to install a new exhibit and increase access to programming for schools that currently cannot afford it.	Montgomery PA	\$500
Concilio de Organizaciones Hispanas	Concilio seeks funding to expand Voices over Violence (VoV), an anti-violence intervention and prevention program, to youth in the Philadelphia School District to provide alternative thinking to violence through targeted sessions, workshops, and exercises in a supportive and mentoring environment.	Philadelphia PA	\$340
NO-MO INC.	NoMo seeks funding for its Restorative Intensive Prevention Services (RIPS) program, a violence intervention program which provides comprehensive and intensive early intervention for youth exhibiting high or at-risk behaviors.	Philadelphia PA	\$152
Mentor Leaders Produce Mentor Leaders	The project would support the creation of a pilot program that combines STEM education and mentoring for Philadelphia youth in grades 5-12. The program would equip students for the workforce by improving both STEM skills and emotional regulation skills to manage professional and personal challenges.	Philadelphia PA	\$200
Institute for the Development of African American Youth, Inc. (IDAAY)	IDAAY seeks funds for a gun violence diversionary program that incorporates competitive gaming/esports with supportive services, such as life skills development, counseling, restorative justice programming, job readiness, computer literacy, and violence prevention workshops.	Philadelphia PA	\$116
Villanova University	Villanova University Law School is requesting funding to support additional services for their Civil Justice Clinic and Clemency Clinic. These clinics assist domestic violence survivors who are crime victims and reduce recidivism by funding additional services to individuals leaving federal custody.	Philadelphia PA	\$850
Middleburg Borough Police Department	Middleburg Borough Police Department seeks funding to assist in the implementation of a Body-Worn Camera and Vehicle-Mounted Dash-Cam project.	Snyder PA	\$120
LogosWorks	The York County Safety Collab is a coalition of York County's 17 police departments as well as the district attorney's office and is seeking funding for body-worn and in-car cameras, and drug analyzers.	York PA	\$461