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The Honorable Patty Murray Chair Senate Committee on Appropriations United States Senate S-128, The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jeff Merkley Chair Senate Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Interior, Environment and Related Agencies United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510 The Honorable Susan Collins Vice Chair Senate Committee on Appropriations United States Senate S-128, The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Lisa Murkowski
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on Appropriations
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment and
Related Agencies
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Dear Chair Murray, Vice Chair Collins, Chair Merkley and Ranking Member Murkowski:

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 Interior, Environment 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,

Jeanne Shaheen

United States Senator

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Shaheen, Jeanne(D-NH) Interior and Environment Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
New Hampshire Historical Society	The funds will be used for the installation of a climate control/HVAC system at the Hamel Center, the Historical Society's collections storage and curatorial facility. A fully functioning climate control system is essential to the preservation of their unique and irreplaceable collection.	Concord NH	\$375
Overwatch Foundation	The Overwatch Foundation will work with NH Department of Environmental Services to improve the existing Drinking Water Cybersecurity by identifying and safeguarding critically vulnerable community drinking water and waste water systems.	Concord NH	\$2,000
Kimball Jenkins Inc.	Kimball Jenkins seeks a one-time investment in the historic campus to ensure its success and expanding role as a community cultural center that serves a diverse and growing audience. The project will expand the usage and benefits provided by Kimball Jenkins Inc. by protecting its historic significan	Concord NH	\$500
U.S. Forest Service	Planning, design and first phase of construction of a new net-zero U.S. Forest Service Ranger Station with colocation of related federal and local public-facing agencies.	Conway NH	\$5,000
Town of Enfield	The Town of Enfield will use the funds to upgrade several elements of the Town water system including replacement of 100-year-old underground pipe systems, construction of a new pump house and connection of two recently drilled production wells and the primary well to the new pump house.	Enfield NH	\$2,184
Town of Epping	The funds will be used to perform critical upgrades at Epping's municipal Wastewater Treatment Facility to bring the plant into EPA permit compliance and address the current discharge of partially treated wastewater into the Lamprey River.	Epping NH	\$1,000
Town of Gorham	Funds will be used to design and construct a new motor control center. The Waste Water Treatment Facility (WWTF) motor control center was installed over 43 years ago.	Gorham NH	\$1,040
Town of Hooksett	The funds would be used to upgrade the Martins Ferry Road Pump Station, which is part of an overall sewer system in the vicinity of Exit 10 (off I-93).	Hooksett NH	\$1,600
Town of Hopkinton	This project will extend critical wastewater service east and west of I-89.	Hopkinton NH	\$2,806
U.S. Forest Service	This project aims to reconstruct and rehabilitate the overnight experience at Hermit Lake Shelters in Tuckerman Ravine to ensure a national forest experience that better meets the needs and diversity of today's public lands users.	Jackson NH	\$500
City of Keene	Funds will be used to replace deteriorated and undersized stormwater infrastructure within the downtown core of Keene.	Keene NH	\$3,615
Fish and Wildlife Service	Funding will support the acquisition of a conservation easement on 3,171 acres on a significant tract of timber land in an area of New England that is rich in natural resources. This is the third phase of a 14,817-acre project that will help secure an ecosystem with important conservation values.	Lyme NH	\$4,169
Town of New Hampton	The Town will utilize funds to complete much needed restoration and improvement projects required for the historic Town House. The funds are crucial to complete several needed projects for the preservation and modification of the New Hampton Town House.	New Hampton NH	\$225
Town of Newmarket	The Town of Newmarket seeks funding to replace a sewer force main and upgrade a pump station that are critical for maintaining reliable wastewater conveyance and protecting the Lamprey River and Great Bay water quality.	Newmarket NH	\$2,550

Town of Newport	The Town of Newport will use CDS funds to replace its outdated water meters with modern, efficient replacements. This project will increase accuracy of water usage data, improve leak detections and optimize water distribution networks, leading to better management of municipal water resources and pr	Newport NH	\$595
North Conway Water Precinct	Funds will be used to protect the North Conway Wastewater Treatment Facility (WWTF) from erosion of the banks of the Saco River. This project will re-align the river channel adjacent to the WWTF to provide robust, long-term sustainable protection to support community needs.	North Conway NH	\$2,000
City of Portsmouth	The City of Portsmouth seeks funding to replace the Mechanic Street Pump Station, the largest and most critical facility pumping wastewater to the City of Portsmouth's Peirce Island Wastewater Treatment Facility.	Portsmouth NH	\$4,000
City of Rochester	The City of Rochester seeks funds to cover the costs of dewatering, transportation and disposal of sludge that has built up over the last decade in Lagoon 1 at the Rochester Wastewater Treatment Facility.	Rochester NH	\$3,200
Town of Salem	CDS Funds will be used to support the cost of finalizing Phase II of the Southern NH Regional Water Project.	Salem NH	\$2,000
Town of Swanzey	The Town of Swanzey will use federal funds to make critical improvements to an existing water system serving the village of West Swanzey.	Swanzey NH	\$2,000
U.S. Forest Service	Funding will be used to restore and relocate Chocorua Area Trails in the White Mountain National Forest in partnership with the Appalachian Mountain Club (AMC).	White Mountain National Forest NH	\$1,000
Town of Wolfeboro	The Town of Wolfeboro will use CDS funds to perform the engineering design, permitting and construction of the stormwater improvements to the downtown area.	Wolfeboro NH	\$3,758