

# United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

April 5, 2023

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

The Honorable Susan Collins  
Vice Chair  
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The Honorable Jerry Moran  
Ranking Member  
Appropriations Subcommittee on Commerce,  
Justice, Science, and Related Agencies  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chair Murray, Vice Chair Collins 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 2024 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.

Sincerely,



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Jeanne Shaheen  
United States Senator

**Shaheen, Jeanne(D-NH) Commerce, Justice and Science  
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

<b>Recipient Name</b>	<b>Project Purpose</b>	<b>Project Location</b>	<b>Amount Requested (\$000)</b>
Alton, NH Police Department	The federal appropriation would provide funding for all equipment and associated software and storage to implement a body worn camera program for Alton Police Department. The proposed request would allow the Alton Police Department to purchase twenty-two body cameras and docking stations.	Alton NH	\$255
Atkinson, NH Police Department	The requested funds would be used toward the purchase of mobile data terminals (computer tablets) and related equipment, including in-car printers, power adapters, antennas, etc. to be installed in front-line police cruisers of the Atkinson, NH Police Department.	Atkinson NH	\$28
Berlin Police Department	These funds will be used to support operational coordination for Police Department, Fire Department, Ambulance service, Water works, Public Works, Berlin-Gorham Emergency Response Team, and other public safety departments to the only City and most populated area in Coos County, NH.	Berlin NH	\$355
Mount Washington Observatory	Funds will be used to purchase equipment to measure wind speed as well as updated research instrumentation; for the planning and design of software to automate error checking of observational reports and creation of a web based portal for public access of historic weather data.	Carroll County NH	\$1,538
County of Cheshire	This project will purchase a virtual reality training simulator package for Cheshire County Sheriff's Office for use by about 150 officers in the county to develop community-oriented policing skills, including cultural sensitivity, bias training, mental health awareness, de-escalation and much more	Cheshire County NH	\$80
City of Claremont	The City of Claremont will use this funding to supplement local funds toward a \$2.3M project to enhance public safety by outfitting the Claremont Police Department with updated communications and record-keeping technology.	Claremont NH	\$1,300
Concord Police Department	This funding request is for specialized crime scene forensic equipment and training. Specifically, the Department is looking to replace outdated technologies with improved technologies in the area of forensic crime scene processing.	Concord NH	\$73
Derry Police Department	Funding will provide the Derry Police Department with sixty-three Body Worn Camera units and fully equip fifteen marked cruisers with integrated In-car Video Systems, as well as associated Wireless Access Points and necessary training and start-up equipment.	Derry NH	\$586
City of Dover, NH	The City of Dover will use the funds to replace the aging dispatch console. This equipment is vital for the dispatching of Dover Police, Dover Fire and Rescue as well as the Rollinsford Fire Department.	Dover NH	\$438
University of New Hampshire	Funding will support initial construction at "The Edge", a one-million-square-foot innovation community combining research, commercial, retail and residential space on the Durham campus. The Edge will create a significant economic impact for the region.	Durham NH	\$5,000
Franklin Police Department	The Franklin Police Department will use this funding to purchase 24 Body-Worn Cameras and in-car camera systems to improve transparency and accountability in interactions between officers and members of the public.	Franklin NH	\$208

Grafton County Sheriff's Office	Funding would be used to equip police department officers with portable radio equipment. This equipment has become very expensive and replacement costs can impact department budgets significantly. This is most noticeable in the small town departments common in rural areas.	Grafton County NH	\$520
Plymouth State University	Plymouth State University seeks to create a cybersecurity program in response to interest from applicants to the University, requests from current students and needs expressed by local communities and industry.	Grafton County NH	\$1,000
Hampton, NH Police Department	The Hampton Police Department will use these funds to create a team to provide an enhanced criminal justice response that serves the community through skilled prosecution, support for crime victims and an appropriate response to individuals with behavioral health needs.	Hampton NH	\$200
Seabrook-Hampton Estuary Alliance (SHEA)	This CDS funding request will enable the Seabrook-Hampton Estuary Alliance to increase coordination with local and regional estuarine-focused partners, create a salt marsh monitoring program and build local community capacity.	Hampton NH	\$1,473
Hampton Falls Police Department	The CDS Funds will be used to purchase a virtual simulator which will provide real-life virtual training scenarios to the Hampton Falls Police Department and be open to use by surrounding police agencies.	Hampton Falls NH	\$38
Hillsborough County Sheriff	The Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office (HCSO) funding request will provide for modern equipment and technology needed to implement an effective de-escalation program.	Hillsborough County NH	\$276
Aviation Museum of New Hampshire	The CDS funds will be used to support the building of a two-seat aircraft by students at Alvirne High School in Hudson, N.H. The educational plane-build program will be the second of its kind in the state spearheaded by the Aviation Museum of New Hampshire.	Hudson NH	\$90
Advanced Regenerative Manufacturing Institute (ARMI)	Building out a biofabrication standards lab available as a common facility is crucial to convey essential information regarding the quality, consistency, and efficacy of the cells, tissues, and organs being produced. This is a necessary facility to ensure the success of the biofabrication industry.	Manchester NH	\$1,200
Manchester School District	The requested funds will be used to provide training in active attack response protocols for school district staff. This training aligns with their Emergency Operations Plan (EOP). Funds would provide six training sessions for the upcoming school year for a total of 450 Manchester School staff.	Manchester NH	\$48
Merrimack Police Department	The CDS funds will be used to purchase body worn/cruiser cameras for all of the department's uniformed officers and marked cruisers. The addition of these cameras will greatly increase the transparency and police accountability within the community.	Merrimack NH	\$420
Merrimack County Sheriff	Funds would be used to install mobile data terminals in each sheriff's department cruiser to enable deputies on patrol to instantly scan driver licenses for validity and to upload traffic citations and accident reports to the Department of Motor Vehicles' (DMV) E-Crash and E-Citation programs.	Merrimack County NH	\$261
NH Dept. of Safety-Emergency Communications/9-1-1 (DESC)	The Broadband Technology Opportunities Program (BTOP) and the Public Safety Interoperability Communications (PSIC) currently provide the communication links to ensure the statewide LMR (statewide land / mobile radio) system works. This request will upgrade and combine both systems.	Merrimack County NH	\$4,878
Town of Mont Vernon	The funds requested will aid in the purchase of 8 body worn cameras, one multi-bay docking stations for on-site storage and charging. This also includes a 5-year contract for cloud-based storage, virtual training and warranties.	Mont Vernon NH	\$25

Town of New Hampton	New Hampton Police Department is currently in the process of moving to Chevrolet Tahoe as the primary police patrol vehicle. These vehicles have an increased ride height to help prevent damage and clearance issues faced in the Ford Interceptors that are currently used.	New Hampton NH	\$80
Newmarket Police Department	The Newmarket Police Department is looking to replace and upgrade their current aging and soon to be unsupported Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) and Records Management systems (RMS). Funds will be used to purchase technology, which offers CAD, interface, mobile and RMS software and hardware servers.	Newmarket NH	\$358
Newport Police Department	The Newport Police Department's Emergency Communications Center would use Byrne discretionary funds to replace outdated and antiquated dispatch radio consoles that serve agencies throughout Sullivan County.	Newport NH	\$218
Rochester, NH Police Department	Rochester PD would utilize these funds to replace their aging In-Car Camera video systems in their 13 front line patrol vehicles. These systems will help reduce liability on the municipality and can be utilized as a tool for training officers to enhance officer safety and department transparency.	Rochester NH	\$123
New England Young Fishermen's Alliance (NEYFA)	NEYFA will provide training, resources and networking opportunities to the diminishing workforce in the New Hampshire commercial fishing industry, promoting the health of the working waterfront communities throughout New Hampshire and the Seacoast region.	Seabrook NH	\$956
Strafford County Sheriff's Office	The Strafford County Sheriff's Office is requesting CDS funds to procure current production two-way radios that meet APCO P25 and SAFECOM standards for safety, and interoperability, allowing the agency's communications to seamlessly integrate with modern radio systems.	Strafford County NH	\$715
Stratham Police Department (SPD)	The funds provided would be used to purchase equipment for use during active threat incidents. This equipment includes ballistic shields for every front-line SPD cruiser, ballistic helmets with suspension system liners, ballistic plate carriers and "simunition" equipment for realistic training.	Stratham NH	\$53
Windham Police	The Windham Police Department is seeking to replace nearly 20-year-old obsolete, unrepairable yet mission critical components of its public safety "2Way" radio system. This CDS request completes the system by funding equipment and interconnection of multiple radio sites and agencies.	Windham NH	\$419

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January 31, 2024

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Dear Chair Murray, Vice Chair Collins, and Ranking Member Moran:

The purpose of this letter is to request a change for a Fiscal Year 2024 Congressionally Directed Spending project in the Senate Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies appropriations bill, listed below. 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, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

This correction is necessary because Alvirne High School, the original partner of the Aviation Museum of New Hampshire in this plane-build program, has rescinded its agreement to participate in this proposed program. The Aviation Museum, seeking to find a new partner, issued a Request for Proposals from other schools. Lebanon High School was the leading school and is eager to embrace this educational program to the benefit of participating students.

**Account:** NASA—SSMS

**Project:** Alvirne High/Palmer Center Student Plane-Build

**Project Location:** Hudson, NH

**Recipient:** Aviation Museum of New Hampshire

**Project Purpose as originally requested in Legi-Mate:** The CDS funds will be used to support the building of a two-seat aircraft by students at Alvirne High School in Hudson, N.H. The educational plane-build program will be the second of its kind in the state spearheaded by the Aviation Museum of New Hampshire.

**Request for change:**

- I request the project title be changed to “Lebanon High School Student Plane-Build.”
- I request the project location be changed to “Lebanon, NH.”

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jeanne Shaheen". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letter of each name being capitalized and prominent.

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Jeanne Shaheen  
United States Senator