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The Honorable Brian Schatz
Chairman
Subcommittee on Transportation,
Housing and Urban Development, and
Related Agencies
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Cindy Hyde-Smith
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Transportation,
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Dear Chairman Schatz and Ranking Member Hyde-Smith:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2024 Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,



Mark Kelly
United States Senator

**Kelly, Mark(D-AZ) Transportation Housing and Urban Development
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
City of Avondale	Agua Fria Trail Phase 2 Pedestrian Bridge – This project will improve accessibility for local residents by connecting two separated paths located on the south and north sides of the drainage channel immediately north of I-10.	Avondale AZ	\$3,345
Valley Metro	Valley Metro Electric Accessible Vehicles – This project will allow for the purchase of seven electric accessible small vehicles and related infrastructure connectors to provide more flexible transit options.	Avondale AS	\$1,382
City of Buckeye	Buckeye Airport Upgrades - The lighting at the Buckeye Municipal Airport is dated and in need of replacement. This project will install new runway and taxiway lights, signage, and Runway End Identifier Lights.	Buckeye AZ	\$1,507
Ft. Thomas Unified School District #7	Mount Turnbull Elementary School Upgrades - This project will complete construction of a school building, which was never completed due to funding shortfalls, providing four additional classrooms, improved safety, for this school that serves the San Carlos Apache Tribe.	Bylas AZ	\$2,655
City of Casa Grande	Casa Grande Fire Station – This project will demolish and mediate an asbestos-filled site for the creation of a new Headquarters Fire Station for the growing city of Casa Grande.	Casa Grande AZ	\$3,795
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Town of Chino Valley	Chino Valley Road Improvement Plan – This project will repave and reconstruct streets and upgrade sewers in a major commercial corridor in Chino Valley that will allow for greater commercial development and economic growth in an underserved area.	Chino Valley AZ	\$2,000
City of Somerton	Somerton Main Street Redevelopment Project – This project will provide for more effective storm drainage, repavement, and improved sidewalks for Somerton’s Main Street, supporting increased economic development.	City of Somerton AZ	\$2,160
City of Coolidge	Inland Port of Arizona Rail Safety - This project will upgrade the railroad crossing on Arica and Shedd Roads to provide safe crossing to serve a new manufacturing facility in Pinal County.	Coolidge AZ	\$2,000
Cochise County	Bisbee-Douglas International Airport Runway Enhancement – This project will improve the main runway at the BDI Airport to allow for heavier aircraft and support the anticipated increase in air traffic when Douglas becomes a new commercial port of entry.	Douglas AZ	\$3,000
City of Douglas	Downtown Douglas Revitalization – This project will update roads and sidewalks in Douglas to improve safety and support economic growth.	Douglas AZ	\$2,900
Town of Eagar	Eagar Broadband Expansion - This project will expand on a new broadband fiber project to get high-speed internet connections to more town residents.	Eagar AZ	\$1,500
Northern Arizona Intergovernmental Public Transportation Authority, Mountain Line	Mountain Line Bus Infrastructure– This project will fund the development of the highest priority bus infrastructure including shelters to improve safety and increase ridership.	Flagstaff AZ	\$773

Pinal County	Hunt Highway Widening – This project will provide for the final phase of widening the Hunt Highway Corridor, updating an existing two-lane roadway to a five-lane facility.	Florence AZ	\$3,000
City of Globe	City of Globe Fire Station – This project will replace the current fire station in the City of Globe, portions of which date well over 100 years old. The proposed facility will be designed to house up to nine 24/7 operational personnel, an administrative office, and training and community spaces.	Globe AZ	\$3,500
City of Goodyear	Goodyear Traffic Safety – This project will procure and upgrade Intelligent Transportation System controllers and technology to add an important safety feature of Dilemma Zone Advance Detection to prevent traffic accidents.	Goodyear AZ	\$1,733
Mohave County	Grace Neal Mohave Wash Bridge -- This project will construct a culvert crossing to accommodate the 4-lane Grace Neal Parkway over the Mohave Wash, which currently requires four-wheel-drive in dry conditions and is impassible during storm conditions. This crossing will improve city connectivity.	Kingman AZ	\$3,000
Martinez Lake Fire District	Fire Station Redevelopment and Equipment Upgrades – This project will include facility repairs and equipment replacement for the Martinez Lake Fire District emergency operations.	Martinez Lake AZ	\$150
City of Nogales	Industrial Park Drive Reconstruction -- This funding will help reconstruct part of Industrial Park Drive, including a 3-foot concrete valley gutter to improve the surface drainage system and extend the life of the pavement. This major industrial area provides employment opportunities to residents.	Nogales AZ	\$3,235
Town of Oro Valley	Honeybee Wash Bridge Deck Repairs -- This project will repair bridge deck delamination and cracking on several bridges within the town's roadway network.	Oro Valley AZ	\$685
City of Phoenix	Phoenix Senior Permanent Supportive Housing - This project will provide needed renovations to a 120-room former hotel to convert it to Permanent Supportive Housing for seniors experiencing homelessness.	Phoenix AZ	\$3,000
City of Phoenix	Innovation 27 Workforce and Education Collaborative – This project will convert a long-closed retail facility into an innovation and education center that will partner with higher education institutions to provide career training programs to high school and adult learners.	Phoenix AZ	\$2,000
City of Prescott	Prescott Airport Protection – This project will allow for an enhanced safety zone for incoming and departing planes, and would allow for future runway expansion, supporting future growth for the City of Prescott.	Prescott AZ	\$3,000
Central Yavapai Metropolitan Planning Organization (CYMPO)	YavaLine Regional Transit Service Vehicles – This project will provide additional vehicles to manage demand and ensure riders needing mobility services have access to ADA accessible vehicles in this rural area.	Prescott Valley AZ	\$225
Santa Cruz County	Ruby Road Bridge - This project would replace the Ruby Road Bridge over Potrero Creek and create a grade separated crossing for the Union Pacific Railroad line. This would improve safety and connectivity for this underserved community.	Rio Rico AZ	\$3,600
Graham County	Safford Bryce Road - Talley Wash Crossing – This project will provide an all-weather crossing over the Talley Wash to significantly alleviate safety concerns for Graham County and its communities.	Safford AZ	\$1,992
Town of Sahuarita	Campbell Avenue Extension – This project will extend and improve the Campbell Avenue roadway for an additional 1-mile, from its current terminus to Whitehouse Canyon Rd.	Sahuarita AZ	\$3,000

The Hopi Tribe	Sunlight Mission Road – This project will provide for new grade and drain earthwork and paving of Sunlight Mission Road on the Hopi Indian Reservation.	Second Mesa AZ	\$2,601
City of Show Low	Fawn Brook Drive Realignment – This project will improve safety on State Route 260 and create a bypass that will reduce traffic and travel times in downtown Show Low.	Show Low AZ	\$1,531
City of Sierra Vista AZ	Sierra Vista Road Reconstruction – This project will allow for the Design and Reconstruction of Buffalo Soldier Trail which carries approximately 20,000 vehicles per day, operating as a bypass between SR90 and SR92 and links highway traffic to Sierra Vista and Fort Huachuca Army Installation.	Sierra Vista AZ	\$4,023
City of Surprise	SR 303 L and US 60 Grand Avenue Interchange – This project will include reconstruction of the existing traffic interchange, widening the existing bridge crossing the McMicken Channel and incorporation of the reconfigured intersection of 163rd Ave & US60.	Surprise AZ	\$5,000
City of Tucson Housing & Community Development	City of Tucson Affordable Housing Development – This project will upgrade a city-owned 12-acre site with the infrastructure necessary to support new development. Preparing the site will allow the City to move forward with an affordable and mixed-income housing project.	Tucson AZ	\$4,000
Northwest Fire District	Northwest Fire District Fire Station – This project will fund the renovation and expansion of Northwest Fire District Fire Station 331 to increase capacity for additional responders and apparatus to increase response capacity to the Flowing Wells community.	Tucson AZ	\$2,751
Pima County	Benson Highway and Columbus Boulevard – This project will allow for intersection improvements at Benson Highway and Columbus Boulevard in southeastern Tucson to reduce crashes and improve pedestrian safety.	Tucson AZ	\$2,375
Pascua Yaqui Development Corporation	Pascua Yaqui Development Corporation’s Career Pivot Center Modernization – This project will rehabilitate and improve the Pascua Yaqui Career Pivot Center that provides certifications in high-demand jobs.	Tucson AZ	\$3,042
Town of Tusayan	Highway 64 Flood Mitigation Project – This project will address the imminent flooding of the Town of Tusayan and Northern AZ by planning for the protection of Highway 64 and paving Long Jim Loop Road. This will protect critical infrastructure and meet community transportation and safety needs.	Tusayan AZ	\$1,602
City of Willcox	Willcox Transit Vehicle – This project will acquire an additional van for the Willcox transit program, which provides access to public transportation for almost 12,000 people in the rural communities of Willcox, Sunsites/Pearce, and Bowie/San Simo.	Willcox AZ	\$65
Yavapai County	State Route 89 (SR89) Upgrade – This project will upgrade and repair a section of SR89 by milling the existing, inadequate asphalt for 1-mile and replacing it with new asphalt. It will ensure that one of the busiest segments of roadway in the county that connects to the VA Hospital is safe.	Yavapai County AZ	\$3,316
Gila County, AZ	Forest Service Road 512 Tonto National Forest – This project will pave an all-weather surface on the approximately 13.5 miles of Forest Road 512 to provide safer and more reliable access to Young, Arizona.	Young AZ	\$3,000
City of Yuma	City of Yuma Innovation Hub – This project will provide engineering and architectural design for a new Innovation Hub that will include a research and development laboratory, classrooms, and small incubator suites.	Yuma AZ	\$1,600

Yuma Metropolitan Planning Organization	US 95 Wellton-Mohawk Canal to Aberdeen Road – This project will help complete the design of nine miles of safety improvements on US Highway 95 and improve accessibility to Yuma Proving Ground.	Yuma AZ	\$2,000
Yuma County	Yuma Rural Agricultural Broadband Towers – This project will construct a network of wireless mobile broadband towers and connect them with fiber to the Yuma County middle mile fiber backbone to enable development and use new agricultural technology.	Yuma County AZ	\$6,000