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

Dear Chair 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 2025 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. I further certify that none of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending are for-profit entities.

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)
Ft. Thomas Unified School District #7	Mount Turnbull Elementary School Upgrades - This project will complete construction of a school building that was never completed due to funding shortfalls, providing additional classrooms and improved safety for this school that serves the San Carlos Apache Tribe.	Bylas AZ	\$2,600
Casa Grande Elementary School District #4	Community Center Revitalization – This project will renovate an existing building into a community center to provide after-school childcare and educational and family resources to the Casa Grande area.	Casa Grande AZ	\$1,000
City of Casa Grande	Casa Grande Peters Road Widening - This project will allow the City of Casa Grande to widen Peters Road to accommodate nearby residential growth and industrial investments, which have significantly increased traffic.	Casa Grande AZ	\$2,000
Dishchiibikoh (Cibecue) Community School	Cibecue Teacher Housing Construction – This project will construct teacher housing for the Cibecue Community School to address the recruitment and retention challenges the school faces due to its remote location on the White Mountain Apache reservation.	Cibecue AZ	\$1,300
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.	City of Kingman AZ	\$3,000
Greenlee County	Greenlee County Road Realignment – This project will allow Greenlee County to make repairs to Ward Canyon Road to replace an outdated bridge and reduce risk of flooding.	Clifton AZ	\$613
Apache County	Apache County Highway Repaving – This project will repave and repair the Concho – Snowflake Highway, a county-maintained road that serves as a reliever road for nearby state highways and interstates.	Concho AZ	\$3,000
City of Cottonwood	Cottonwood Main Street Improvements – This project will allow the Town of Cottonwood to boost commerce through the rehabilitation of Main Street, which has not undergone significant repairs or restoration since the 1970s.	Cottonwood AZ	\$4,831
Arizona Department of Transportation	Douglas Commercial Land Port of Entry Connector Road – This project will construct a connector road between the new Douglas Commercial Land Port of Entry and State Route 80 to support increased trade and traffic from the modernization of the port through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law.	Douglas AZ	\$20,000
Town of Duncan	Duncan Main St. and High St. Improvements – This project will repave Main Street and High Street in the Town of Duncan. These streets are the main thoroughfares in the community and have not been repaved in nearly 45 years, which negatively impacts travel and commerce.	Duncan AZ	\$2,450
City of Flagstaff	Flagstaff Roadway Improvements – This project will support new roadway and pedestrian improvements and flood risk reduction projects within the La Plaza Vieja neighborhood.	Flagstaff AZ	\$1,000
Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation	Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation Road Improvements – This project will rehabilitate Fort McDowell Road and construct drainage improvements to reduce the risk of flooding.	Fort McDowell AZ	\$3,000
The Hopi Tribe	Kachina Point Road – This project will repave and repair Kachina Point Road, which is one of the main access roads on and off of Hopi tribal land.	Kykotsmovi AZ	\$2,532

East Valley Institute of Technology	East Valley Institute of Technology STEM Workforce Training – This project will construct a facility to provide workforce training for students in STEM-related careers.	Mesa AZ	\$4,000
Town of Oro Valley	Oro Valley Bridge Project – This project will repair two bridges on La Cañada Road in Oro Valley that are in urgent need of repair.	Oro Valley AZ	\$7,222
City of Phoenix	Emergency Shelter & Workforce Development Center – This project will support an emergency shelter that will provide training and skills development programs to people experiencing homelessness.	Phoenix AZ	\$1,050
Valley Metro	Valley Metro West Valley Facility – This project will enable the design and construction of a bus maintenance facility, which will support current and future transit service in the West Valley.	Phoenix AZ	\$3,000
Town of Pima	Pima High School Road - This project will construct a new road and make other traffic safety improvements to support the newly constructed Pima High School.	Pima AZ	\$2,000
Central Yavapai Metropolitan Planning Organization	Yavapai County Regional Planning – This project will allow the Central Yavapai Metropolitan Planning Organization to determine current and future roadway transportation needs to accommodate the growth of the area's regional health care facilities.	Prescott and Prescott Valley AZ	\$400
Santa Cruz County, Arizona	Rio Rico Intersection Improvements - This project will allow Santa Cruz County to begin the design and construction of roadway safety improvements at the intersection of Yavapai Drive and the I-19 West Frontage Road.	Rio Rico AZ	\$3,443
Yuma County	Yuma County Avenue D/E – This project will allow Yuma County to begin design and construction work to connect two roadway segments to improve connectivity between the cities of San Luis and Somerton.	San Luis & Somerton AZ	\$2,750
City of Scottsdale	Paiute Affordable Housing – This project will construct new livable and affordable housing units for seniors and persons with disabilities.	Scottsdale AZ	\$3,000
City of Sierra Vista	Sierra Vista Road Reconstruction – This project will allow for the 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	\$4,726
City of Surprise	City of Surprise Microtransit – This project will expand microtransit service for the City of Surprise to improve connectivity to senior-living communities, medical facilities, shopping and high schools within the city.	Surprise AZ	\$1,790
Town of Taylor, AZ	Taylor Community Center – This project will construct a new community center for the Town of Taylor. The Town owns the land, and this will enable the construction of a multi-use community facility.	Taylor AZ	\$1,500
City of Tucson	Tucson Affordable Housing – This project will support the pre-development and construction of new affordable housing units in midtown Tucson that will be accessible to public transportation facilities.	Tucson AZ	\$2,500
Arizona Department of Housing	Owl River Transitional Housing – This project will construct a transitional housing facility in Tucson, AZ that will provide immediate housing and supportive services for individuals experiencing homelessness.	Tucson AZ	\$3,000
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	\$3,000

Pascua Yaqui Development Corporation	Pascua Yaqui Workforce Training Center – This project will construct a training center with classroom space and testing facilities to support workforce training programs for the construction industry.	Tucson AZ	\$2,901
Pima County JTED #11	Pima County JTED #11 Workforce Training - This project will enable Pima County JTED to construct a new facility where they will offer workforce training programs to train students in Tucson for careers in the construction, engineering, and sustainability industries.	Tucson AZ	\$2,700
Town of Tusayan	Tusayan Roadway Safety – This project will support the planning for roadway safety improvements along an unsafe portion of Arizona State Route 64, which provides direct access to Grand Canyon National Park.	Tusayan AZ	\$118
Pinal County	Pinal Airpark Contract Tower – This project will allow Pinal County to study, design and initiate construction of a contract air traffic control tower at Pinal Airpark	Unincorporated Pinal County AZ	\$2,250
Pinal County	Pinal County Sunland Gin Road – This project will replace an at-grade wash crossing with a new all-weather access bridge on Sunland Gin Road, which is the only access road for a community in Pinal County.	Unincorporated Pinal County AZ	\$3,000
City of Willcox	Willcox Transit Vehicle – This project will acquire a 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 Simon.	Willcox AZ	\$71
Gila County	Forest Service Road 512 Tonto National Forest – This project will pave an all-weather surface on Forest Road 512 to provide safer and more reliable access to Young, Arizona.	Young AZ	\$2,991
Yuma Metropolitan Planning Organization	U.S. 95 Road Widening Project – This project will support the construction of intersection safety improvement projects along U.S. 95 outside of Yuma, which is one of the most unsafe road segments in Arizona.	Yuma AZ	\$2,500