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The Honorable Jerry Moran Chair Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies The Honorable Chris Van Hollen Ranking Member Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies

Dear Chair Moran and Ranking Member Van Hollen,

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 2026 Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies 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 forprofit entities.

Sincerely,

Andy Kim United States Senator

Kim, Andy(D-NJ) Commerce, Justice and Science Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Bergen County Sheriff's Office	This funding provides enhanced security during FIFA 2026 World Cup. This request is for specific equipment to enhance public safety & security for an event of this magnitude. This request not only will benefit our agency, but also nearly 34 Municipal Police Departments & the New Jersey State Police.	Bergen County NJ	\$1,200
Borough of Bergenfield	This project supports the replacement of aging and non-compliant communications infrastructure utilized by Bergenfield's police department, fire department, OEM, and EMS.	Bergenfield NJ	\$1,500
County of Burlington	This funding of this project will expand & improve the outdoor Firearms Training Range offering law enforcement additional training opportunities that will be used when responding to calls.	Burlington County NJ	\$1,800
Big Brothers Big Sisters Independence Region	This project will replicate & expand the POWER Up Program to up to 2 pilot schools in Camden, NJ. POWER Up provides paid, professional mentors, embedded in schools, who deliver mentorship, social-emotional learning and career exploration programming.	Camden NJ	\$650
Borough of East Newark	This project seeks to strengthen the operational capacity of the East Newark Police Department (ENPD) through the phased acquisition of essential equipment, vehicles, & communication tools. Funding requested will enable ENPD to advance its ongoing mission of protecting and serving the residents.	East Newark NJ	\$1,208
Borough of East Rutherford	These funds will support the purchase of new computer and radio equipment for East Rutherford's headquarters and mobile command unit, as well as funds to support the creation of a secure server room.	East Rutherford NJ	\$150
Township of East Windsor	This project supports the replacement of the existing 9-1-1 terminals with new Next Generation 9-1-1 compatible terminals. It is essential that these upgrades are in place so that the East Windsor Township Police Department can continue providing emergency services through the 9-1-1 system.	East Windsor NJ	\$300
City of Elizabeth	Funds will be used for the construction of a Drone Control Tower on top of Elizabeth Police Headquarters to support our Drone First Responder Program, providing real-time data-gathering capabilities for effective response by first responders.	Elizabeth NJ	\$3,000
Women's Rights Information Center	The Victim Law Project will support free legal services to help victims of crime, particularly domestic violence, navigate complex legal systems with dignity and support.	Englewood NJ	\$403
Volunteers of America Delaware Valley	Funds will be used to fulfill the technology needs of law enforcement and to support the recovery and stabilization of human trafficking survivors with the goal of full prosecution of the traffickers during the 2026 FIFA World Cup.	Essex NJ	\$1,500
Borough of Franklin	This funding is for the purchase the acquisition of a police & fire radio system that will improve current signal dead zones to increase the safety of our citizens & public safety officers. The new radio system will include the installation of two transmitters to provide the required coverage.	Franklin NJ	\$216
Rowan University	This project purchases construction-scale concrete 3D printers advancing research, development & testing of concrete deployable housing & shelters. Results of this research are aimed at providing more affordable housing & options for disaster recovery.	Glassboro NJ	\$3,000
Borough of Haledon	This funding would purchase stationary Automatic License Plate Readers (ALPRs), a mobile ALPR trailer, and cover associated software, storage & maintenance costs allowing law enforcement to investigate & make arrests for violent crimes & auto theft offenses.	Haledon NJ	\$424

Stevens Institute of Technology	This project supports a pilot program for quantum authentication & encryption to be deployed at the Port Authority of NY/NJ. A successful pilot has potential to make critical assets more secure nationwide.	Hoboken NJ	\$900
Georgian Court University	This funding will be used to upgrade blue light emergency phones to ensure a safer, more secure campus. The university's blue light emergency phones are inoperable and require immediate replacement along with the 60-year-old copper cable, which is no longer transmitting voice communications.	Lakewood NJ	\$345
City of Linden	This funding will be used to upgrade a 911 Dispatch Center to a Next Generation 911 (NG911) system. It represents a critical investment in public safety & emergency response efficiency. The upgrade allows emergency services to receive & process real-time, multimedia data, leading to faster response	Linden NJ	\$2,000
City of Linden	This funding will be used to purchase frontline vehicles and an administrative vehicle. These new vehicles will enhance officer safety, improve response efficiency, and ensure the department can maintain reliable around the clock service to the community.	Linden NJ	\$387
Borough of Lodi	This funding is for the purchase & implementation of new radios for Lodi's police department. New radios would allow first responders to better conduct operations without risk of loss of communications or equipment failure during an emergency like a natural disaster, mass-casualty incident or fire.	Lodi NJ	\$1,075
Borough of Manville	This project will fund the replacement of outdated portable radios for law enforcement personnel to enhance emergency communication & officer safety. Upgraded radios will enhance interoperability with regional responders, reduce response times, & ensure reliable coordination during incidents.	Manville NJ	\$231
Sandy Hook Promise Foundation	Sandy Hook Promise (SHP) Foundation seeks funding to launch a state-wide Say Something Anonymous Reporting System (ARS) in NJ, empowering students, in both public & private schools, to anonymously report safety concerns & receive immediate, life-saving interventions to prevent violence & self-harm.	Mercer NJ	\$650
180, Turning Lives Around, Inc.	Funds will be used to train counselors to the specific needs of victims of gang violence and trafficking. The program will provide specialized counseling, programs specifically for children, education on legal rights as victims, case management and coordination with prosecutors and law enforcement.	Monmouth County NJ	\$650
Seton Hall Law School	This funding will support Seton Hall University School of Law 's Family Law Clinic's (FLC) expansion, which provides community educational programming & legal services for domestic violence & sexual assault survivors.	Newark NJ	\$628
New Jersey Youth Advocate Program	Yout Advocate Program's Juvenile Justice Initiative focuses on providing individualized, community-based support to at-risk youth involved in the justice system. This project aims to reduce recidivism by offering tailored services, including mentoring, education, and family support to assist with re	Newark NJ	\$450
Township of Piscataway	This funding would be used for the purchase of a mobile command unit to strengthen coordination among first responders, emergency management, and law enforcement while offering reliable communication capabilities, even during power outages or disrupted cell service.	Piscataway NJ	\$393
Township of Piscataway	This funding would be used for the purchase of a Skywatch unit. This unit is a versatile, two-person observation post that enhances tactical awareness and surveillance at large public events.	Piscataway NJ	\$320
Rutgers University	This project would support funding for postdoctoral, empirical research and data sharing across federal, state and local jurisdictions to better understand the state of gun violence in NJ and across America. The funding is critical to collect nationally representative data on the causes, correlates,	Piscataway NJ	\$1,000

Village of Ridgefield Park	This funding will modernize an emergency communication system by replacing outdated analog equipment with a digital radio system. This upgrade will eliminate dead zones, enhance interoperability between police, fire/EMS and integrate seamlessly with Bergen County's emergency infrastructure.	Ridgefield Park NJ	\$1,496
Washington Township	This funding would consist of the purchase and installation of security cameras and 5 blue light emergency call boxes & lighting throughout the park. This would assist law enforcement officers with the technology to respond quickly to park visitors & help keep our community safe.	Sewell NJ	\$1,500
Township of Hopewell	This funding of this project will upgrade the Police Training Facility and Firing Range. The range serves the partners, local, State and Federal in Mercer County as a location for agency firearms training and mandated annual police firearms in-service qualifications.	Titusville NJ	\$600
City of Union City	This funding would purchase hard-wired security cameras at high-priority intersections replacing an aging radio-based system that frequently experiences outages, enhancing public safety through more reliable, real-time surveillance.	Union City NJ	\$880
City of Vineland	Funds will be used to support the purchase of a new mobile command vehicle to replace their current vehicle which has reached the end of its useful life. The new vehicle will directly benefit Vineland's residents by providing a more robust & reliable emergency response.	Vineland NJ	\$1,170
Township of Ocean	Funds will be used to upgrade emergency communication systems, including the public safety radio network & 911 emergency infrastructure to ensure seamless interoperability with county and state agencies.	Waretown NJ	\$600
Warren County Community College	This project establishes a Counter-Unmanned Aircraft Systems (CUAS) track within the colleges associate program. This funding will also be used to expand non-credit professional training for law enforcement, which equips law enforcement with skills & technologies to detect, mitigate, & disable rogue	Washington NJ	\$554
New Jersey State Police	This one-time funding would allow the task force to purchase new hardware, much needed artificial intelligence software and digital forensic licensing software for the task force and affiliate agencies statewide.	West Trenton NJ	\$675