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May 9, 2024

The Honorable Jeanne Shaheen  
Chair  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on  
Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related  
Agencies  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jerry Moran  
Ranking Member  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on  
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Dear Chair Shaheen 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 2025 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. None of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending are for-profit entities.

Sincerely,



Christopher A. Coons  
United States Senator

**Coons, Christopher(D-DE) 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>
Town of Dewey Beach	This project will fund equipment to improve public safety, including an emergency generator for the police station and a video safety system.	Dewey Beach DE	\$462
Delaware State University	This project will improve campus safety by replacing security cameras and gates. The project will also fund padlocks, door entry systems, and a security desk.	Dover DE	\$725
Delaware Department of Correction	This project will fund upgrades to the security systems at correctional facilities, including the installation of new cameras and upgrades to servers.	Dover DE	\$1,274
Delaware State University	To find a suitable location for the relocation and expansion of the aquaculture research facility.	Dover DE	\$517
University of Delaware	To fund a new research vessel to support Delaware coastal research and experimental education.	Lewes DE	\$5,000
City of Milford Police Department	This project funds the purchase of a specialty emergency response vehicle to respond to critical incidents such as hostage situations and active shooters.	Milford DE	\$397
University of Delaware	Funds will be used to construct a biopharmaceutical manufacturing facility to support the work of NIIMBL.	Newark DE	\$20,000
University of Delaware	Funds will be used to purchase biopharmaceutical manufacturing equipment to support the work of NIIMBL.	Newark DE	\$10,000
University of Delaware	To develop new, sustainable material to satisfy air mobility requirements at NASA.	Newark DE	\$1,000
University of Delaware	The Delaware Space Industry, Research, and Education (DESIRE) program is a collaboration between the University of Delaware (UD) and Delaware State University (DSU) to enhance resources for space sciences across the State.	Newark DE	\$1,250
Town of Viola Police Department	This project will fund a new police patrol vehicle and provide technology and safety upgrades to the vehicle once acquired.	Viola DE	\$74
Wilmington Police Department	This project will fund a rescue vehicle for the Crisis Management Tactical Team to transport officers and assist with the recovery and protection of civilians.	Wilmington DE	\$400
Partners for Justice	This project will fund client advocates for an innovative public defense program in partnership with the Office of Defense Services.	Wilmington DE	\$93
Delaware Division of Forensic Science	This project will fund equipment used during toxicology assessments, which will help clear a backlog and close out cases more efficiently.	Wilmington DE	\$1,450
Community Legal Aid Society, Incorporated, of Delaware	This project will fund software to create a secure texting interface that will improve the efficiency and effectiveness of CLASI's legal aid services to clients, particularly victims of crime and domestic violence.	Wilmington DE	\$400