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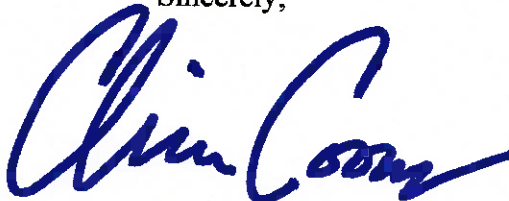
Chair John Hoeven
Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural
Development, Food and Drug Administration,
and Related Agencies
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Ranking Member Jeanne Shaheen
Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural
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and Related Agencies
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chair Hoeven and Ranking Member Shaheen,

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 2027 Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, 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 for-profit entities.

Sincerely,



Christopher A. Coons
United States Senator

**Coons, Christopher(D-DE) Agriculture
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Town of Cheswold	Funds will be used for the construction of a new municipal complex.	Cheswold DE	\$4,700
Town of Dagsboro	Funds will be used to construct a joint town hall and police department.	Dagsboro DE	\$5,462
University of Delaware	Funds will be used to make capital improvements to the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources.	Georgetown DE	\$3,750
Boys & Girls Clubs of Delaware	Funds will be used to construct a new club in Georgetown.	Georgetown DE	\$4,000
City of Harrington	Funds will be used for construction of a new municipal building.	Harrington DE	\$4,500
Town of Laurel	Funds will be used to purchase new police vehicles and make improvements to the police department building.	Laurel DE	\$675
New Castle County	Funds will be used for the construction of a new public safety building in southern New Castle County.	Middletown DE	\$5,000
Milford Advocacy for the Homeless, Inc.	Funds will be used to purchase equipment to support operations that help Delaware's homeless.	Milford DE	\$255
TidalHealth Nanticoke	Funds will be used to purchase medical equipment for the Millsboro campus.	Millsboro DE	\$3,000
Food Bank of Delaware	Funds will be used to purchase equipment to expand operations at the Newark facility.	Newark DE	\$300
Town of Wyoming	Funds will be used for shoreline stabilization efforts of Wyoming Lake.	Wyoming DE	\$55