

United States Senate

April 9, 2026

The Honorable Susan Collins
Chair
Senate Appropriations Committee
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Patty Murray
Vice Chair
Senate Appropriations Committee
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Jerry Moran
Chair
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee
on Commerce, Justice, Science, and
Related Agencies,
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Chris Van Hollen
Ranking Member
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee
on Commerce, Justice, Science, and
Related Agencies,
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chair Collins, Vice Chair Murray, 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 2027 Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies, 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,



Tina Smith
United States Senator

**Smith, Tina(D-MN) Commerce, Justice and Science
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
City of Babbitt	For the purchase and installation of security cameras and an alarm system for the city's Police Department and Municipal Building.	Babbitt MN	\$120
Brooklyn Center Police Department	To establish a Real-Time Crime Center.	Brooklyn Center MN	\$3,613
Hennepin Technical College Foundation	To create a simulated neighborhood for collaborative public safety training.	Brooklyn Park MN	\$3,500
Wright County	For capital improvement costs to accommodate the FBI's expanded training requirements.	Buffalo MN	\$1,267
Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa	Expand capacity of the tribal court.	Cloquet MN	\$1,199
City of Cottage Grove	Purchase of an updated Mobile Command Vehicle with current equipment and technology.	Cottage Grove MN	\$1,200
Eden Prairie Police Department	Purchase of an Emergency Response Unit Vehicle.	Eden Prairie MN	\$650
Farmington Police Department	For security infrastructure improvements.	Farmington MN	\$709
City of Fridley	To purchase vehicles to support mental health co-response and community-oriented policing.	Fridley MN	\$192
Hennepin County	To provide health, social, economic, and legal resources.	Hennepin County MN	\$1,000
Finishing Trades Institute of the Upper Midwest	To reduce recidivism by providing high quality apprenticeship and pre-apprenticeship training for justice impacted individuals.	Little Canada MN	\$1,962
City of Maplewood	To transition to a modern cloud-based Records Management System.	Maplewood MN	\$651
Minnesota Department of Education	To implement an Anonymous Reporting System to address threats to school safety.	Minneapolis MN	\$500
City of Minneapolis	Replace the Records Management System with a modern, secure, and interoperable platform.	Minneapolis MN	\$3,000
City of Minneapolis	To provide mentorship, training, and career development for a pathway to a career in public safety.	Minneapolis MN	\$1,000
City of Minneapolis	Purchase computer forensic technology.	Minneapolis MN	\$200
Hennepin County Sheriff's Office	Purchase equipment and services for technology enhancements	Minneapolis MN	\$3,277
University of Minnesota	Purchase of engine research equipment.	Minneapolis MN	\$7,500
City of Rochester	To implement an integrated suite of public safety technologies.	Rochester MN	\$1,625
Zero Abuse Project	Strengthen investigative tools and ensure accessibility for law enforcement agencies conducting child exploitation and trafficking investigations.	Saint Paul MN	\$1,000
City of Saint Paul	To modernize public safety location infrastructure.	Saint Paul MN	\$1,172

City of Saint Paul	Purchase protective SWAT equipment.	Saint Paul MN	\$600
Minnesota Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs	For a statewide Juvenile Delinquency Diversion program.	Saint Paul MN	\$3,000
Ramsey County	Purchase of law enforcement technology, equipment, and training systems.	Saint Paul MN	\$1,700
University of Minnesota	Purchase of Ag-Bio Innovation Equipment	Saint Paul MN	\$1,890
St. Catherine University	To scale research and education programming.	Saint Paul MN	\$947
City of Savage Police Department	To purchase public safety equipment.	Savage MN	\$13
American Association of State Climatologists (AASC)	To develop a comprehensive state drought plan.	Statewide MN	\$410
Washington County	Implementation of Drones as First Responders.	Stillwater MN	\$2,000
Waseca County	Purchase of critical judicial equipment.	Waseca MN	\$3,000
City of Woodbury	To acquire security upgrades.	Woodbury MN	\$2,560
City of Woodbury	To acquire critical public safety technologies.	Woodbury MN	\$2,360