

United States Senate

April 28, 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 John Boozman
Chair
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee
on Military Construction, Veterans
Affairs, and Related Agencies
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jon Ossoff
Ranking Member
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee
on Military Construction, Veterans
Affairs, and Related Agencies
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chair Murray, Vice Chair Collins, Chair Sinema, and Ranking Member Boozman,

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 Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, 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) Military Construction and VA
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Minnesota National Guard	Design funds for a new National Guard Readiness Center in Anoka, to replace a 1954 facility that no longer meets the operational needs of a modern military unit.	Anoka MN	\$4,350