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The Honorable Brian Schatz
Chairman
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing
and Urban Development, and Related
Agencies
Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room 184
Washington, D.C., 20510

The Honorable Susan Collins
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing
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Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room 156
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Dear Chairman Schatz and Ranking Member Collins:

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 2023 Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

I appreciate your distinguished leadership on this important bill, as well as the assistance that your exceptional staff provide to mine. If you have questions regarding any of my requests, please contact Seth Gainer on my staff at (202) 228-6688.

With warmest regards,



Joe Manchin III
United States Senator

**Manchin, Joe(D-WV) Transportation Housing and Urban Development
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
City of Beckley	Demolishes the existing skatepark, rebuild a new one and add a bike pump track to our Freedom Park, Beckley's oldest and first "city" park.	Beckley WV	\$1,480
West Virginia Division of Highways	Funds the construction of pavement for approximately 1/4 mile of Coalfields Expressway.	Beckley WV	\$1,500
Bluefield Economic Development Authority	Establishes the southern gateway into the State of West Virginia and create a new and dynamic economic engine for the Greater Mercer County Region.	Bluefield WV	\$3,035
Mercer County Airport	Provides the Mercer County Airport with a reliable, environmentally friendly, and protected place to store aircraft that serves businesses and members of the public.	Bluefield WV	\$1,725
Town of Bolivar	Reestablishes and ensure safe pedestrian access through the heart of the town of Bolivar, allowing residents to walk to destinations instead of driving.	Bolivar WV	\$2,500
Braxton County Recreational Authority	Conducts an upgrade of the Holly Gray Park, including a new event center, upgraded tennis and basketball courts, an upgraded playground, and parking upgrades, as well as the installation of a wastewater collection system which will connect to the Flatwood-Canoe Run Public Service District wastewater treatment facility.	Braxton WV	\$3,300
Benedum Airport	Makes improvements to the proposed entrance from State Route 279 into the new Terminal/Aerotech Park.	Bridgeport WV	\$2,500
Upshur County Regional Airport Authority	Extends Upshur County Regional Airport's Runway 11-29 by 1000' to better support businesses and aircraft.	Buckhannon WV	\$7,650
Upshur County Regional Airport Authority	Constructs an 8-unit T-Hangar for the Upshur County Regional Airport.	Buckhannon WV	\$1,450
Mineral County Commission	Assists in the erection of phase 1 of a large amphitheater project.	Burlington WV	\$400
Burlington United Methodist Family Services	Constructs a new building and renovation project/funding request to expand male based substance abuse addiction and recovery residential programming in West Virginia.	Burlington WV	\$100
Town of Cedar Grove	Assists in paving the town's streets, ensuring smoother, safer streets for vehicle, bicycle and foot traffic.	Cedar Grove WV	\$490
City of Charles Town	Completes construction on the 1.9-mile "Augustine Trail" pedestrian and bicycle trail facility on Old Route 340 (also know as Augustine Avenue), and upgrade approximately 8,000 linear feet of missing and poor condition sidewalks in the downtown area, for better connectivity and access in Charles Town, WV.	Charles Town WV	\$1,400
Kanawha County Commission	Funds a new Shawnee Sports Complex Tourism and Welcome Center, including a welcome area, new restroom facilities, new concessions, safety and utility upgrades, and security improvements.	Charleston WV	\$3,000
Charleston Area Alliance	Funds planning, design, and engineering to meet the needs of the small towns to accommodate the growth of the outdoor recreation community.	Charleston WV	\$5,000

Charleston Yeager Airport	Provides for apron construction to support the opening of an aircraft paint shop attracting nearly 100 aircraft into the airport annually for painting.	Charleston WV	\$5,000
Charleston Urban Renewal Authority	Provides grants of up to \$10,000 each to local businesses to improve street-level facades to stimulate private investment and revitalize blighted neighborhoods.	Charleston WV	\$250
City of Charleston	Replaces and upgrades 9,930 outdated, deteriorating seats in the Charleston Coliseum.	Charleston WV	\$4,929
City of Charleston	Purchases the machinery and equipment for a planned, new "Charleston Food Manufacturing Hub", which will be part of the "Charleston LIFT Center" (Learning, Innovation, Food & Technology) to be established in 2023 at the Kanawha Manufacturing facility in Charleston's economically distressed East End.	Charleston WV	\$750
City of Charleston	Upgrades a key segment of public roadway in downtown Charleston to better connect pedestrians to the Clay Center, a major hub of education, arts, and sciences for the region.	Charleston WV	\$400
Capital Area Development Corp of West Virginia	This project improves and maintains aging equipment and updates a small business incubator building.	Charleston WV	\$500
West Virginia Division of Highways	Funds the third phase of a reconstruction project on MacCorkle Ave.	Charleston WV	\$1,500
West Virginia Black Heritage Festival, Inc.	Provides assistance for building improvements at the Kelly Miller Community Center.	Clarksburg WV	\$624
City of Clarksburg	Replaces a failing bridge which serves as an important connector for local, residential, and commercial pedestrian and vehicular traffic.	Clarksburg WV	\$2,500
City of Clarksburg	Repairs four (4) bridges with serious deficiencies which serve as important connectors for local, residential, and commercial pedestrian and vehicular traffic.	Clarksburg WV	\$5,600
West Virginia Division of Highways	Funds a new interchange on I-64 to the community of Culloden.	Culloden WV	\$1,500
Randolph County Community Arts Council	Addresses structural issues facing the former St. Brendan's Church used by the Arts Center, allowing it to continue providing the entire region with cultural and arts experiences.	Elkins WV	\$77
Town of Farmington	Funds a feasibility study on the uses of abandoned buildings in the Town of Farmington, including their potential use for a proposed senior center.	Farmington WV	\$50
West Virginia Division of Highways	Expands the New River Parkway.	Fayette County WV	\$50,000
Region 4 Planning and Development Council	Funds workforce development and reentry for WV residents recovering from substance abuse disorder.	Fayette, Greenbrier, Nicholas, Pocahontas, and Webster Counties WV	\$750
Fayette County Commission	Funds a trail network at the Fayette County Park.	Fayetteville WV	\$1,018
Fayette County Commission	Funds demolition and asbestos abatement for thirty dilapidated Gateway Tourist Area properties across Fayette County.	Fayetteville WV	\$257
City of Follansbee	Replaces the city's sidewalks to address safety concerns.	Follansbee WV	\$700

Mountaineer Food Bank	Expands Mountaineer Food Bank's Gassaway facility to provide food insecure Southern West Virginians a variety of healthy, well-balanced food on a consistent basis.	Gassaway, Braxton County WV	\$5,000
West Virginia Division of Highways	Funds the Gilbert Creek Connector phase of the King Coal Highway for a community that has battled transportation connectivity and reliability issues for decades.	Gilbert Creek WV	\$1,500
Morgan County Homeless Coalition	Renovates a handicapped accessible building to target low-income and homeless individuals for assistance.	Great Cacapon, Morgan County WV	\$75
Jefferson County CVB	Enhances the visitor experience at the Jefferson County Welcome Center with interactive elements.	Harpers Ferry WV	\$240
Harrison County Commission	Acquires and develops more than four miles of abandoned rail corridor to fill a major gap in the Parkersburg-to Pittsburgh (P2P) corridor of the Industrial Heartland Trail Coalition (IHTC) system.	Harrison County WV	\$2,958
City of Hinton	Rehabilitates a blighted and historic area along the banks of the New River.	Hinton WV	\$500
City of Hinton	Includes rehabilitation of the historic Hinton Railroad Depot building and building of a trail that connects the Hinton Landing river trailhead to the to the historic depot.	Hinton WV	\$250
Cabell County Public Library Gallaher Village	Assists the Cabell County Public Library in efforts to renovate the Gallaher Village Public Library.	Huntington WV	\$25
Habitat for Humanity of the Tri-State, Inc.	Provides funds for the purchase of the necessary building/construction materials for a total of 9 new Habitat houses.	Huntington WV	\$400
Hank Dial	Makes critical upgrades and expansions to the cherished A.D. Lewis Community Center, which was built 55 years ago in the economically distressed, historically black Fairfield neighborhood to provide meals, after-school programs, STEAM and technology educational programs, computer law, health & wellness, and recreational programs for children and families.	Huntington WV	\$750
Cornerstone Community Development Corporation	Renovates and saves a historical landmark and creates much-needed low income residential senior living units along with commercial spaces for seniors and their families.	Huntington WV	\$2,500
2nd Coming Family Life Church	Funds a faith-based initiative focused on the physical, mental, social, educational, and spiritual well-being of local Huntington, and Tri-State Youth.	Huntington WV	\$750
Keith Albee Performing Arts Center, Inc.	Provides mechanical, electrical, and plumbing renovations to the basement of the Keith Albee Performing Arts Center.	Huntington WV	\$800
Heritage Farm Foundation	Expands and improves Heritage Farm at its recently-established "Wild Heritage" project, an Appalachian wildlife center and outdoor recreational attraction for tourists from across the region.	Huntington, Wayne County WV	\$250
Jefferson County Community Ministries	Enables Jefferson County Community Ministries and its partners to conduct the planning, design, and engineering to make shovel ready a new "Community Services Center" to support the homeless and at-risk families in Jefferson County and the Eastern Panhandle.	Jefferson County WV	\$1,250
Kanawha County Commission	Constructs 11 miles of South Rim Trail from Paint Creek to the Town of Montgomery, and for the related South Rim Trail Head at the scenic Paint Creek which is already becoming a tourism asset visited by anglers and hikers.	Kanawha County WV	\$660

West Virginia Division of Highways	Constructs a new Appalachian Heartland Welcome Center at the interchange of Interstate 64 and WV State Route 152 at Exit 8.	Kanawha/Cabell Counties WV	\$5,000
Town of Kimball	Provides for the continued revitalization, repair and renovation of the former Houston Company Store	Kimball, McDowell County WV	\$1,200
Friends of the Cheat	This project will complete the 8.09 mile Cheat River Rail-Trail as part of the Reclaiming the Cheat River as an Economic Asset through Trail Enhancement (RECREATE) project.	Kingwood WV	\$500
State Fair of West Virginia	Construct a portion of a 54,735 multi-use exhibition and events center on a 10-acre site on the grounds directly across from the main Fair site.	Lewisburg WV	\$750
Logan County Commission	Allows the Logan County Commission to begin to remove dilapidated and dangerous structures/slums in Logan County, West Virginia.	Logan WV	\$550
Pocahontas County Convention and Visitors Bureau	Constructs a trail system to accommodate the growing outdoor recreation industry in the region.	Marlinton WV	\$2,441
Martinsburg Eastern WV Regional Airport Authority	Expands and improves Taxiway Echo to full southern parallel taxiway through widening, strengthening of weight bearing capacity, expanding terminal-area aircraft parking apron, and reconfiguring of taxiway entrances and exits to meet FAA design criteria.	Martinsburg WV	\$6,634
Martinsburg-Berkeley County Public Library	Addresses critical facility needs, including roof renovations and HVAC and Electrical repairs at the Martinsburg Library.	Martinsburg WV	\$1,400
Semper Liberi, Inc.	Completes the water and sewer infrastructure required for the development of the Restorative Justice Men's Facility (RJMF) building and Recovery Village.	Martinsburg WV	\$1,000
Berkeley County Council	This project funds a Culture and History Museum which showcases the history of Berkeley County and Eastern WV.	Martinsburg WV	\$1,861
City of Martinsburg	Replaces existing decorative light poles downtown with new aluminum poles with LED bulbs that would improve public safety and visibility downtown while improving energy efficiency and lowering costs to the City/public.	Martinsburg, Berkeley County WV	\$840
The West Virginia Mine Wars Museum	Develops a new heritage trail in the southern WV coalfields that memorializes key Mine Wars-related sites, with a primary focus on the 1921 Miners' March that culminated in the Battle of Blair Mountain, the largest armed uprising in the United States since the Civil War.	Matewan WV	\$463
Greenbrier Valley Economic Development Corporation	Provides infrastructure improvements to accommodate multiple opportunities in this realm and create opportunities for expanded employment opportunities.	Maxwelton WV	\$180
City of Montgomery	Renovates the Montgomery Regional Recreation and Aquatic Center and bring it into ADA compliance, enhance the facility's recreational and commercial potential, and support first responders.	Montgomery WV	\$750
City of Montgomery	Constructs a lower fishing deck and non-motorized boat launch, steps, fencing, asphalt paving, landscaping, and amenities such as trash receptacles.	Montgomery WV	\$489
City of Montgomery	Addresses a dilapidated building located in the downtown area at 340 3rd Avenue.	Montgomery WV	\$280
Morgantown Municipal Airport	Extends Runway 18-36 from 5,199 feet to 6,200 feet, providing proper safety margins for aircraft currently operating out of the Morgantown Airport.	Morgantown WV	\$1,000

West Virginia Land Trust	Funds the Mammoth Preserve Trail, a multiple-use, non-motorized recreational trail development project with the goal of providing high-quality public access for trail-based recreation.	Morgantown WV	\$2,817
The Historic Morgantown Post Office Building, Inc.	Assists in the restoration of a historic building in downtown Morgantown to revitalize its main street and downtown business district.	Morgantown WV	\$1,000
City of Morgantown	Builds a new fire station and training center for the City of Morgantown.	Morgantown WV	\$6,000
West Virginia Division of Highways	Repairs and rehabilitates I-79 exit 155, which serves as the primary vehicular connection from I-79 and Morgantown, Star City, Granville and WVU.	Morgantown WV	\$50,000
West Virginia Division of Highways	Constructs an interchange to provide access to the Morgantown Industrial Park.	Morgantown WV	\$1,500
Mylan Park Foundation	Completes the last phase of the Mylan Park Tourism Gateway economic tourism masterplan project.	Morgantown, Monongalia County WV	\$350
Marshall County Airport Authority	Provides for continuous safe and secure operation of the Marshall County Airport in Moundsville, WV.	Moundsville WV	\$250
West Virginia Division of Highways	Funds the realignment of WV-2 through New Cumberland.	New Cumberland WV	\$1,500
Wood County Development Authority	Redevelops 3 sites that previously housed industrial and manufacturing plants for future industrial/business use.	Parkersburg WV	\$1,000
Woodlands Development Group	Assists in the reuse and transition of the former Parsons High School Building in Tucker County.	Parsons WV	\$500
West Virginia Division of Highways	Funds a box culvert for Middle Run under the mainline of Corridor H.	Parsons WV	\$1,500
Town of Paw Paw	Rehabilitates the Paw Paw fire station by replacing electrical and plumbing and increase space and capacity for the town.	Paw Paw WV	\$725
Wyoming County Economic Development Authority	Provides asphalt and concrete paving and constructing of shell buildings for the Barkers Creek Industrial Park.	Pineville, Wyoming County WV	\$3,900
Main Street Point Pleasant, Inc.	Renovates and adapts a central building for a new farmers market.	Point Pleasant WV	\$470
WV Community Development Hub	Fills a critical gap in construction resources and provide the final funding needed to complete remediation and renovation to enable the Theater to open its doors, become fully operational, and begin serving the greater Princeton, Mercer County and southern West Virginia region.	Princeton WV	\$729
Development Authority of Mercer County	Secures land for the development of the "sports plex" park and multipurpose facility near I-77 Exit 9 in Princeton, WV.	Princeton WV	\$3,500
Raleigh County Commission	Provides assistance to low- to moderate-income property owners through a program managed by the Raleigh County Property Safety Enforcement Agency and the Raleigh County Commission.	Raleigh County WV	\$100
City of Ravenswood	Constructs the Washington Park pedestrian bridge project to connect Ravenswood residents to safe travel into the park and allow tourists and visitors to the park.	Ravenswood WV	\$810
City of Ronceverte	Assists in reopening of the Chestnut Street Bridge by providing safe walking access for citizens and visitors of Ronceverte.	Ronceverte WV	\$8,997

Jefferson County Parks & Recreation Commission	Constructs and installs a synthetic turf multipurpose field at Sam Michaels Park in the eastern panhandle of West Virginia.	Shenandoah Junction WV	\$2,000
Shepherd University	Funds the renovation of a currently vacant residence hall, Burkhart Hall, and transition it to a critical basic needs center for our students.	Shepherdstown WV	\$1,824
City of Smithers	Supports site-readiness at the Longacre Bottom site.	Smithers WV	\$1,500
West Virginia Land Stewardship Corporation	Acquires abandoned property for reuse and transfer the property to end users who will utilize it to benefit local community and economic development goals.	Statewide WV	\$1,018
City of Summersville	Develops the Summersville Visitor Center adjacent to US Route 19 in Nicholas County at the north entrance of Summersville, West Virginia.	Summersville WV	\$1,055
City of Summersville	Focuses on the construction of a mountain bike trail system and associated trailhead and infrastructure as part of the larger Regional Outdoor Complex.	Summersville WV	\$2,845
Town of Sutton	Completes the storm drainage system along North Hill Road in Sutton.	Sutton WV	\$750
Friends of Blackwater	Assists nonprofits Friends of Blackwater and the Vandalia Foundation to upgrade the historic Buxton & Landstreet Building (B&L) to become a heritage tourism and outdoor recreational hub for the Town of Thomas, Tucker County, and the broader Blackwater Canyon and Canaan Valley region.	Thomas WV	\$1,882
Town of Cowen	Funds Phase II of developing a recreational area that is known as the B&O Pond in Cowen as a useable recreational area for the public.	Town of Cowen WV	\$250
Mineral County Public Library	Builds a new library for Mineral County in Keyser, WV.	Town of Keyser WV	\$50
Town of Marmet, WV	Rebuilds the town's mainstreet for utilities and accessibility.	Town of Marmet WV	\$1,735
West Virginia Division of Highways	Funds the design and feasibility study for a new interchange along I-70.	Triadelphia WV	\$500
West Virginia Division of Highways	Constructs a new roadway to access newly developed brownfield area.	Weirton WV	\$20,000
Brooke County Commission	Provides funding for expansion of two existing rail spurs, and the addition of one additional spur at their Brooke County operations.	Wellsburg, Brooke County WV	\$2,853
City of Weston	Provides a neighborhood center with walk paths, sitting areas, activity space, boat/kayak launch.	Weston WV	\$850
Ohio Valley Regional Transportation Authority	Moves the bus loading areas from the front of the Byrd Intermodal Center and include new shelters, seating area, and curb work.	Wheeling WV	\$400
Grow Ohio Valley, Inc.	Transforms public, forested land of downtown Wheeling into safe, accessible, and beautiful natural space for recreation, education, and urban agriculture through the Edible Mountain Project in Wheeling.	Wheeling WV	\$1,000
Young Women's Christian Association of Wheeling	Funds a demonstration pilot program targeting the at-risk populations of all adult women who are homeless, and addicted to opioids and other substances abuse addiction, making them vulnerable targets of human trafficking.	Wheeling WV	\$2,800
Young Women's Christian Associates Wheeling	Allows for building renovations necessary for safety and access to programming at the YWCA Wheeling.	Wheeling WV	\$2,000

City of Wheeling	Provides critical safety upgrades to the historic Blue Church building.	Wheeling WV	\$2,000
West Virginia Division of Highways	Brings curb ramps in Wheeling in compliance with ADA standards.	Wheeling WV	\$1,500
Helping Heroes Inc	Restores a vacant, historic property in downtown Wheeling and expand services to local Veterans.	Wheeling, Ohio County WV	\$490
The Beacon Foundation, Inc.	Establish the Williamson Museum & Education Center.	Williamson WV	\$500
Wood County Airport Authority	Provides a modern LED lighting system to enhance safety of the traveling public, reduce carbon footprint as a "Green" oriented initiative and be in keeping with the standards comparable to other modern terminals experienced by the traveling public.	Williamstown WV	\$117
Wood County Airport Authority	Provides a modern aircraft deicing capability to enhance safety and increase throughput for commercial, corporate and private air travel.	Williamstown WV	\$580
Wood County Airport Authority	Replaces the legacy snow removal equipment broom at the airport.	Williamstown WV	\$690