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The Honorable Lisa Murkowski
Chair
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment,
and Related Agencies
Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
Room SD-142
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jeff Merkley
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment,
and Related Agencies
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Dear Chair Murkowski and Ranking Member Merkley:

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 Interior, Environment, 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,



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**Heinrich, Martin(D-NM) Interior and Environment
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Indian Pueblo Cultural Center	The Indian Pueblo Cultural Center will acquire climate-controlled equipment for the long-term preservation and public display and education of their collection of cultural artifacts and art.	Albuquerque NM	\$750
City of Albuquerque	The City of Albuquerque will implement the Acequia Madre project to add natural landscaping and features to improve public access to the west side of the Rio Grande bosque.	Albuquerque NM	\$600
Village of Angel Fire	Angel Fire will plan, design, and construct water and sewer lines.	Angel Fire NM	\$3,580
Town of Bernalillo	The Town of Bernalillo will upgrade their wastewater treatment facilities.	Bernalillo NM	\$10,000
County of Bernalillo	Bernalillo County will convert residential septic systems to a Bernalillo County municipal sewer.	Bernalillo County NM	\$2,000
City of Bloomfield	The City of Bloomfield will upgrade the City's secondary water source.	Bloomfield NM	\$1,100
Pueblo of Cochiti	The Pueblo of Cochiti will plan, design, and construct a new solid waste transfer station.	Cochiti Pueblo NM	\$1,200
City of Deming	The City of Deming will replace waterlines.	Deming NM	\$2,000
South Central Solid Waste Authority	South Central Solid Waste Authority will procure a heavy-duty compactor to handle current waste volumes at the Corralitos Regional Landfill.	Dona Ana County NM	\$1,200
The City of Eunice	The City of Eunice will replace aging and deteriorated steel waterlines.	Eunice NM	\$3,600
City of Farmington	The City of Farmington will increase water storage.	Farmington NM	\$20,000
City of Gallup	The City of Gallup will make upgrades to their wastewater treatment plant.	Gallup NM	\$12,000
City of Grants	The City of Grants will conduct water and wastewater system improvements to aging and failing infrastructure.	Grants NM	\$2,000
Town of Hagerman	The Town of Hagerman will replace leaking and undersized water pipelines, activate a drilled well, and provide a source of drinking water for residents.	Hagerman NM	\$5,000
Village of Jemez Springs	The Village of Jemez Springs will rehabilitate its wastewater treatment and collection system.	Jemez Springs NM	\$1,800
El Rancho de Las Goldrinas	El Rancho de Las Goldrinas will conduct roof replacements on historic structures.	La Cienega NM	\$160
City of Las Cruces	Las Cruces will improve groundwater wells and drinking water pipelines.	Las Cruces NM	\$3,916
Village of Milan	The village of Milan will conduct critical water system upgrades, including through replacing aging PCV piping.	Milan NM	\$2,000
New Mexico State University	New Mexico State University, in partnership with the New Mexico Reforestation Center, will construct a climate-controlled growing media (soil) storage facility.	Mora NM	\$3,000
Timberon Water Sanitation District	Timberon Water and Sanitation District will improve the drinking water delivery system throughout the district and reduce extreme water losses.	Otero County NM	\$24,150

New Mexico Forestry Division	The New Mexico Forestry Division will complete a forest and watershed health project in the Rio Chama watershed.	Rio Arriba County NM	\$1,200
Juan Bautista Valdez Land Grant	Juan Bautista Valdez Land Grant will prepare a Wildfire Resilience Preparedness Plan and lead public community awareness meetings.	Rio Arriba County NM	\$90
City of Rio Rancho	The City of Rio Rancho will replace aging sanitary sewer lift stations along the NM 528 corridor.	Rio Rancho NM	\$4,000
New Mexico Environment Department	New Mexico Environment Department of behalf of the Pueblo of San Ildefonso will address water contamination through water monitoring, remediation measures, and environmental protection measures to protect groundwater resources.	San Ildefonso Pueblo NM	\$2,000
Santa Clara Pueblo	Santa Clara Pueblo will rehabilitate the existing sewer main system in the main village.	Santa Clara Pueblo NM	\$3,000
Santa Fe County	Santa Fe County will purchase and install reverse-osmosis filters.	Santa Fe NM	\$800
State of New Mexico, Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, State Parks Division	The State of New Mexico will construct an inspection and decontamination facility to address invasive quagga mussels.	Santa Fe NM	\$1,000
City of Santa Fe	Santa Fe will build clean water infrastructure for the Mutt Nelson community to replace aging wells.	Santa Fe NM	\$400
City of Socorro	The City of Socorro will rehabilitate a drinking water holding tank and replace overflow lines.	Socorro NM	\$3,700
New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology	New Mexico Tech will conduct a magnetotelluric (UMT) campaign along the Rio Grande Rift to detect blind geothermal systems.	Socorro County NM	\$530
Forest Stewards Guild	The Forest Stewards Guild will launch a targeted initiative to train local practitioners in home hazard risk assessments.	Statewide NM	\$125
The University of New Mexico	The University of New Mexico will implement a pilot project to modernize aerial waterfowl surveys to increase safety, accuracy, and methodological consistency.	Statewide NM	\$1,476
Hermit's Peak Watershed Alliance	Hermit's Peak Watershed Alliance will produce a publicly accessible Watershed Resilience Dashboard to integrate water quality data, land condition indicators, restoration activities, and community-based knowledge.	Statewide NM	\$1,500
Institute for Applied Ecology	Institute for Applied Ecology will engage volunteers to collect and distribute data on rare plant populations throughout New Mexico.	Statewide NM	\$100
City of Sunland Park	Sunland Park will expand its wastewater treatment plant.	Sunland Park NM	\$5,000
Bureau of Land Management	The Bureau of Land Management will work with community partners to conduct trail maintenance within the Rio Grande del Norte National Monument.	Taos NM	\$1,000
Taos Pueblo	Taos Pueblo will rehabilitate and renovate areas of the historic village that have weathered while preserving the traditional style of architecture.	Taos Pueblo NM	\$500
Pueblo of Tesuque	The Pueblo of Tesuque will replace small diameter pipes.	Tesuque Pueblo NM	\$5,182
Pueblo of Zia	The Pueblo of Zia will install new advanced water meter technology to increase efficiency.	Zia Pueblo NM	\$70
The Pueblo of Zuni	The Pueblo of Zuni will make improvements to their drinking water system.	Zuni Pueblo NM	\$3,000

