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The Honorable John Kennedy
Chair
Subcommittee on Energy and Water
Development
Senate Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
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The Honorable Patty Murray
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Energy and Water
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Dear Chair Kennedy and Ranking Member Murray,

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 2026 Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development 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,



Alex Padilla
United States Senator

**Padilla, Alex(D-CA) Energy and Water Development
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will be used to remove excess phosphorus from the lake to combat harmful algal blooms.	City of Lake Elsinore CA	\$5,000
City of Long Beach	Funding to incentivize a safe and sustainable transition to unleaded aviation fuel for piston-powered aircraft through Long Beach Airport's Subsidized Aviation Fuel for the Environment (SAFE) program.	City of Long Beach CA	\$1,070
City of Milpitas	Funding to ensure that public safety facilities can function during a power shutdown or outage and ensure the continuity of public safety services.	City of Milpitas CA	\$4,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This will continue the maintenance dredging at the entrance to both Oceanside Harbor and U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton Harbor.	City of Oceanside CA	\$4,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project will support geotechnical investigations, identification of levee voids, and levee repairs, which will protect the levees and reduce the risk of flood damage to City bridges, utilities, and the public in Oceanside.	City of Oceanside CA	\$26,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project enhances groundwater sustainability by recharging the Delta-Mendota Groundwater Subbasin.	City of Patterson CA	\$3,800
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to support construction of a water pipeline to import surface water and dilute ground water to achieve acceptable salt content.	City of San Juan Bautista CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for a comprehensive flood risk reduction study to address citywide coastal and interior flooding, protect critical infrastructure, and develop a roadmap for resilient capital improvements.	City of San Mateo CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project would provide 100-year flood protection along the Pajaro River and Tributaries in Monterey and Santa Cruz Counties, including for the economically disadvantaged City of Watsonville, the severely disadvantaged Town of Pajaro, and surrounding high-value agricultural land.	City of Watsonville CA	\$187,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project would provide funds for water and wastewater related infrastructure projects for the City.	City of Whittier CA	\$250
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	The purpose of this study is to build on the existing authority to conduct general investigation feasibility studies along the bay and ocean shorelines in the San Francisco Bay Area.	Counties of Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Solano, Sonoma CA	\$500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	The funding will allow for continued direct placement of dredged material from the Port of Oakland, the Port of Richmond, and the Port of Redwood City at beneficial use sites to support mudflat and marsh habitats.	Counties of Alameda, Contra Costa, Napa, San Mateo, Solano CA	\$4,600
Bureau of Reclamation	This funding supports strategic floodplain reactivation infrastructure projects in the Sacramento River Basin to enhance salmon recovery, improve water supply reliability, and bolster ecological resilience.	Counties of Butte, Colusa, Glenn, Sacramento, Shasta, Solano, Sutter, Tehama, Yolo CA	\$5,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for a study to assess levee modifications north of Fremont Weir to reduce flood risks, restore habitat, and enhance water supply.	Counties of Butte, Colusa, Glenn, Sacramento, Sutter, Tehama, Yolo, Yuba CA	\$700

Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will enhance juvenile salmon habitat and adult migration in the Sacramento River and Sutter Bypass, supporting flood risk reduction, water quality, and long-term ecological resilience.	Counties of Colusa and Sutter CA	\$1,200
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to initiate the Corps' 3x3x3 process to study feasibility of raising Pine Flat Dam to reduce flood risk, improve drought resilience, and aid with Sustainable Groundwater Management Act compliance.	Counties of Fresno, Kings, Tulare CA	\$500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project would support continued work on the Salton Sea/Imperial Streams Feasibility Study, which is proceeding under the Corps' ecosystem restoration authority.	Counties of Imperial and Riverside CA	\$1,760
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will support investigating beach nourishment as a solution to combat coastal erosion in the Oceanside, Mission Bay, and Silver Strand littoral cells.	Counties of Orange and San Diego CA	\$500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project would widen Inner and Outer Harbor Turning Basins to better accommodate larger vessels that are expected to call the Port with increasing frequency.	County of Alameda CA	\$8,000
Bureau of Reclamation	This project aims to capture excess floodwater flows for use on fallowed farmlands adjacent to creeks and streams, allowing floodwater flows to recharge groundwater and increase soil moisture.	County of Butte CA	\$2,200
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project would help the Town of Paradise conduct initial permitting-phase activities necessary in order to develop a wastewater treatment facility to serve the Town as it rebuilds from the 2018 Camp Fire.	County of Butte CA	\$2,000
Utica Water and Power Authority	This funding will help cover capital improvements needed to keep two hydroelectric powerhouses in operation.	County of Calaveras CA	\$1,600
Bureau of Reclamation	Funding to replace and repair wooden flumes and concrete-lined canals that supply water to residents of Calaveras County.	County of Calaveras CA	\$300
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project will upgrade the treatment capabilities at the Copper Cover Wastewater Reclamation Facility and raise the dam to increase storage capacity.	County of Calaveras CA	\$3,100
John Swett Unified School District	Funding to support continuous energy supply and enhanced community resilience.	County of Contra Costa CA	\$4,560
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will support the design of coastal flooding levees with habitat slopes for a stretch of shoreline to increase flood resilience for wastewater service and transportation infrastructure.	County of Contra Costa CA	\$1,350
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to restore a site to a mosaic of wetland and upland habitats and support state and federally listed species.	County of Contra Costa CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project would construct a collection system as part of its broader efforts to replace wastewater infrastructure serving a mobile home park that is located at the Mouth of the Smith River.	County of Del Norte CA	\$3,000
Bureau of Reclamation	This funding will support a project to expand, stabilize, and restore emerging wetlands in a way that also addresses dust pollution near the town of Bombay Beach along the Salton Sea.	County of Imperial CA	\$2,000
City of Pasadena	This project will install innovative solar and energy storage systems on Pasadena's Central Library to provide renewable energy and enhance grid resilience.	County of Los Angeles CA	\$1,700
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	The funding will construct a stormwater capture project to divert and infiltrate stormwater to replenish the San Fernando Groundwater Basin.	County of Los Angeles CA	\$10,000

Bureau of Reclamation	Funding to support the ongoing remediation of groundwater cleanup efforts throughout the San Gabriel Valley.	County of Los Angeles CA	\$10,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This request would fund upgrades to the City of Paramount's water treatment facilities to provide increased water supply system resilience, reliability, and water quality.	County of Los Angeles CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to upsize a sewer line to meet the new General Plan capacity.	County of Los Angeles CA	\$4,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will be used to design and construct a Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) Treatment System to treat a well that is impacted with the PFAS contaminant.	County of Los Angeles CA	\$1,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will be used to construct a water reservoir at Yvonne Burke - John D Ham Park that will increase the operational storage of potable water while also allowing fire flow storage during an emergency.	County of Los Angeles CA	\$3,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding would support the design and construction of a new reservoir to improve water supply reliability, stabilize water pressure in the Inglewood water distribution system, and enhance water service to the City's residential and commercial customers.	County of Los Angeles CA	\$3,750
Valley Children's Hospital	Funding will support the purchase of an electrical switchgear and energy microgrid to provide uninterrupted and reliable healthcare services to patients.	County of Madera CA	\$1,800
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project will continue wetland design, modeling, environmental permitting, using dredged sediment from the San Francisco Bay navigation channels to restore wetlands.	County of Marin CA	\$6,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to add additional water storage to increase Marin Water's resilience during future droughts.	County of Marin CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for a multi-purpose flood risk management project developed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) for the foothill streams of Merced County.	County of Merced CA	\$1,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding would support stormwater diversion projects by enhancing regional water supply and protecting Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary.	County of Monterey CA	\$750
Bureau of Reclamation	Funding will support a headhouse that will provide classroom support, storage, and work areas, as well as modern greenhouses.	County of Monterey CA	\$1,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for various levee and other conveyance improvements, tidal control, and environmental restoration.	County of Orange CA	\$2,275
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project will support the preliminary design work of a pipeline to connect an existing Placer County Water Agency intake along the upper American River to Roseville's Barton Road Water Treatment Plant.	County of Placer CA	\$5,300
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will be used to protect critical infrastructure, provide habitat restoration within the Phase 3 basin, and provide flood risk reduction to Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton.	County of Riverside CA	\$30,225
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project would safeguard the drinking water quality of the two aquifers in the Mission Creek and Indio Subbasins and alleviate wastewater discharge from individual wastewater disposal systems that overlie sensitive groundwater in the greater Desert Hot Springs area.	County of Riverside CA	\$4,000

Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project will support the Perris II Desalination Facility expansion and help reduce reliance on imported water by providing additional local potable water supply.	County of Riverside CA	\$13,100
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to support design, permitting, and construction for critical erosion sites along the Sacramento River.	County of Sacramento CA	\$2,300
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding would help identify flood risks along the Lower Cosumnes River and identify risk reduction measures, as well as additional opportunities to improve water supply reliability and habitat protection.	County of Sacramento CA	\$700
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to increase flood protection to the residents and properties within the Natomas basin.	County of Sacramento CA	\$16,530
University of Redlands	This funding will help integrate a Battery Energy Storage System to optimize energy efficiency, reduce demand charges, and enhance grid resilience.	County of San Bernardino CA	\$1,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will support the construction of large protective beach berms along two segments of shoreline within San Diego County.	County of San Diego CA	\$1,820
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to support a feasibility study to investigate flood risk management as it relates to sea level rise and associated impacts to the San Diego Bay.	County of San Diego CA	\$1,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project would support a study to mitigate the erosion of Oceanside's beaches resulting from the construction of the Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton Harbor.	County of San Diego CA	\$1,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This project will upgrade storm drain systems to alleviate flooding along Escondido Creek.	County of San Diego CA	\$750
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will support a USACE Feasibility Study examining project options to protect the residents of Manteca and Lathrop, and other communities south of Stockton.	County of San Joaquin CA	\$1,627
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for a study to analyze options to modify the Farmington Dam from solely flood control to a permanent water supply storage dam with flood control.	County of San Joaquin CA	\$3,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will be used to combine two aging and financially unsustainable sewer treatment plants into one modern facility.	County of San Joaquin CA	\$2,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to support a storm drain retention pond and related facilities to convey, capture, and store stormwater runoff.	County of San Joaquin CA	\$2,140
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to dredge the Stockton Deep Water Ship Channel.	County of San Joaquin CA	\$10,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for maintenance dredging to ensure adequate navigational depths for Harbor safety, commerce, and port of operations for Coast Guard Station Morro Bay.	County of San Luis Obispo CA	\$4,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to carry out annual maintenance dredging at the Port of Redwood City.	County of San Mateo CA	\$7,350
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding to protect a vulnerable and flood impacted wastewater sanitation facility serving multiple communities.	County of San Mateo CA	\$100
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will support annual dredging of the federally authorized Santa Barbara Harbor.	County of Santa Barbara CA	\$4,000

Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will support a new pump station at Dixon Landing Park.	County of Santa Clara CA	\$3,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for maintenance dredging of the federal navigation channel at Santa Cruz Harbor.	County of Santa Cruz CA	\$790
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will be used to replace aging treatment infrastructure and equipment at the Wastewater Treatment Facility in the City of Watsonville.	County of Santa Cruz CA	\$2,500
Bureau of Reclamation	The funding will support modernization to radial flood gates at the Putah Diversion Dam	County of Solano CA	\$4,250
Bureau of Reclamation	This funding will enhance security measures for the Putah South Canal, the primary infrastructure that supplies municipal and agricultural water to Solano County.	County of Solano CA	\$2,750
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will support the rehabilitation of the Llano Trunk Line.	County of Sonoma CA	\$2,300
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	The funding will be used to complete USACE's Success Reservoir Enlargement Project, which will increase storage capacity in the reservoir.	County of Tulare CA	\$25,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will support annual dredging of the federally authorized Ventura Harbor.	County of Ventura CA	\$8,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for maintenance dredging of Channel Islands Harbor, CA.	County of Ventura CA	\$16,900
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	This funding will be used to advance investigations, design, and construction of the Training Levee and Deep Water Ship Channel (DWSC) East levee.	County of Yolo CA	\$60,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will initiate and complete a study to determine the feasibility of carrying out a project for the purposes of flood damage reduction and aquatic ecosystem restoration.	County of Yolo CA	\$1,500