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April 1, 2026

The Honorable Lisa Murkowski
Chair
Subcommittee on Interior,
Environment, and Related Agencies
Senate Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
Washington, DC 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 Subcommittee on 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Alex Padilla". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Alex" and last name "Padilla" clearly distinguishable.

Alex Padilla
United States Senator

**Padilla, Alex(D-CA) Interior and Environment
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Central Contra Costa Sanitary District	Addition of Densified Activated Sludge (DAS) technology to existing large-scale Membrane Aerated Biofilm Reactor (MABR) demonstration site.	Contra Costa CA	\$3,150
The Water Research Foundation	Funding to combat Golden Mussel impacts on water and agricultural infrastructure.	Contra Costa County CA	\$1,000
Georgetown Divide Public Utility District	Installation of hydroelectric generation facilities at Stumpy Meadows Reservoir.	El Dorado CA	\$5,000
ATSAPAQ	To support the co-stewardship of Chuckwalla National Monument.	Imperial, Riverside CA	\$1,500
County of Inyo	Water pipe replacement project.	Inyo CA	\$1,000
Bishop Paiute Tribe	Repairs to an aging infrastructure system and prevent further blockages and overflows.	Inyo CA	\$1,000
Access Fund	Construction of sanitary facilities.	Inyo CA	\$227
City of California City	Funding to replace aging water main, valves, and hydrants to improve drinking water reliability.	Kern CA	\$1,300
City of McFarland	Water system improvements for reliability.	Kern CA	\$13,936
County of Kings	Drilling and construction of a new groundwater well to improve drinking water reliability.	Kings CA	\$1,000
Happy Trails for Kids	Advanced wastewater treatment plan project.	Los Angeles CA	\$500
City of Los Angeles Department of Water and Power	Stormwater runoff capture to replenish the San Fernando Groundwater Basin.	Los Angeles CA	\$5,000
Resilient Palisades	Funding for remediation of contaminated soils in public community spaces across the Palisades and Eaton Fire burn zones in Los Angeles County	Los Angeles County CA	\$650
City of South Gate	PFAS Treatment System for groundwater wells.	Los Angeles County CA	\$1,000
City of Maywood	Funding for remediation of aging sewer pipes to prevent sewage overflow	Los Angeles County CA	\$3,080
City of Malibu	Replacement of wildfire-damaged onsite septic systems with a wastewater network.	Los Angeles County CA	\$1,000
Los Angeles County Department of Public Works	Funding for excavation and grading work for the construction of the stormwater capture, water quality, and groundwater recharge infrastructure elements of the Rory Shaw Stormwater Capture Project	Los Angeles County CA	\$5,000
City of South El Monte	Flood control project enhancements.	Los Angeles County CA	\$5,000
City of Rancho Palos Verdes	Storm drain sewer improvements.	Los Angeles County CA	\$2,500
Resource Conservation District of the Santa Monica Mountains	Topanga lagoon restoration design completion.	Los Angeles County CA	\$5,273

Yosemite Foundation	Funding for drinking water infrastructure for a park employee housing development and for a backup water supply/fire prevention in a gateway community adjacent to Yosemite National Park.	Mariposa CA	\$1,500
County of Mono	Funding to replace aging water and sewer infrastructure operated by Lee Vining Public Utilities.	Mono CA	\$1,000
County of Monterey	Construction of new drinking water wells.	Monterey CA	\$4,000
The Napa Communities Firewise Foundation	Comprehensive wildfire protection initiative advancement.	Napa CA	\$1,138
City of Newport Beach	Construction of a new joint use water well.	Orange County CA	\$2,000
The Living Desert	Funding for specialized conservation medicine equipment and a wildlife response vehicle.	Riverside CA	\$300
City of Hesperia	Construction of a two-basin stormwater detention and sediment capture system.	San Bernardino CA	\$3,000
Cucamonga Valley Water District	Design and construction of a new waterline.	San Bernardino CA	\$911
County of San Diego, California	Reduction of turbulence at Tijuana River culvert outlets.	San Diego CA	\$1,000
Maritime Museum Association of San Diego	Long-term preservation and restoration of PCF 816, a historic Vietnam-era Patrol Craft Fast.	San Diego CA	\$243
City of San Diego	Replacement and realignment of storm drain infrastructure	San Diego CA	\$3,400
County of San Diego	Conduction of a long-term study on the health impacts of airborne exposure to chemicals.	San Diego CA	\$1,000
County of San Joaquin	Pipeline and service connection improvements.	San Joaquin CA	\$2,000
County of San Luis Obispo	Construction of a new water storage facility.	San Luis Obispo CA	\$5,000
Siskiyou County Farm Bureau	Irrigation improvements for coho salmon outmigration and agricultural resiliency.	Siskiyou County CA	\$2,000
County of Sutter	Replacement of deteriorated wastewater pipe infrastructure.	Sutter CA	\$3,446
Tulare Lake Resource Conservation District	Funding to support the development of a nitrate management plan, performing domestic well testing and survey, and identifying long-term solutions for removing nitrates from groundwater and surface water throughout the Central Valley	Tulare CA	\$1,000
County of Tulare	Completion of a community well.	Tulare CA	\$1,300
City of Farmersville	Funding to acquire a fire bulldozer, transport vehicle, and trailer for emergency response.	Tulare CA	\$950
County of Tulare	Funding to replace a drinking water storage tank	Tulare CA	\$1,500