

Senator Angus S. King Jr.
Fiscal Year 2027

Fiscal Year 2027 Congressional Directed Spending Requests – Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies

Arts Center - Renovations and Historic Preservation

Recipient: Chocolate Church Arts Center

Location: Bath, ME

Amount Requested: \$1,925,000

Project Purpose: To support the restoration and preservation of the historic arts center.

Town of Blue Hill - Public Safety Building

Recipient: Town of Blue Hill

Location: Blue Hill, ME

Amount Requested: \$3,400,000

Project Purpose: To develop a new public safety building to support fire and emergency medical services serving the town and Blue Hill Peninsula region.

Town of Camden - Public Safety Building Fire and EMS Improvements

Recipient: Town of Camden

Location: Camden, ME

Amount Requested: \$660,000

Project Purpose: To make improvements and renovations to the existing public safety building to support the 24/7 fire department and regional emergency management services.

Town of Castine - Fire Station

Recipient: Town of Castine

Location: Castine, ME

Amount Requested: \$3,000,000

Project Purpose: To build a new fire and rescue department station that will replace a 65-year-old facility which is inadequate to house essential vehicles, equipment, and training activities.

Chebeague Island - Stone Wharf Project

Recipient: Town of Chebeague Island

Location: Chebeague Island, ME

Amount Requested: \$1,300,000

Project Purpose: To repair and improve the Stone Wharf public facility, a multi-use facility and primary transportation link between the mainland and island.

Town of Columbia Falls - Union Hall Restoration

Recipient: Town of Columbia Falls

Location: Columbia Falls, ME

Amount Requested: \$200,000

Project Purpose: To repair and restore the historic Union Hall.

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Town of Deer Isle - Fire Station

Recipient: Town of Deer Isle

Location: Deer Isle, ME

Amount Requested: \$2,500,000

Project Purpose: To build a new fire station, replacing two obsolete, undersized facilities.

Heart of Maine - Community Resource Center Renovations

Recipient: Heart of Maine Resource Center

Location: Dexter ME

Amount Requested: \$1,049,000

Project Purpose: To renovate and restore a building to be used as a community resource center.

Downeast Family YMCA - Community & Youth Development Improvements

Recipient: Down East Family YMCA

Location: Ellsworth, ME

Amount Requested: \$1,760,000

Project Purpose: To support the renovation and modernization of the Downeast Family YMCA.

Ellsworth Public Library - Renovations

Recipient: Ellsworth Public Library

Location: Ellsworth, ME

Amount Requested: \$3,000,000

Project Purpose: To make renovations to the library to modernize and expand educational and community services.

Town of Falmouth - Fire Station Renovation and Construction

Recipient: Town of Falmouth

Location: Falmouth, ME

Amount Requested: \$4,389,000

Project Purpose: To fund the renovation and construction of two fire stations to accommodate a full-time fire department.

Town of Fayette - Community Center Improvements

Recipient: Town of Fayette

Location: Fayette, ME

Amount Requested: \$254,000

Project Purpose: To make building improvements to the Fayette Community Center.

UMaine - National Marine Aquaculture Center Infrastructure Improvements

Recipient: University of Maine

Location: Franklin, ME

Amount Requested: \$3,000,000

Project Purpose: To modernize critical seawater and freshwater infrastructure serving the USDA-ARS National Cold Water Marine Aquaculture Center and the UMaine Center for Cooperative Aquaculture Research.

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Town of Harpswell - Emergency Services Building

Recipient: Town of Harpswell

Location: Harpswell, ME

Amount Requested: \$1,500,000

Project Purpose: To build a new facility for fire and paramedic emergency services.

Good Will Hinckley - Campus Improvements

Recipient: Good Will Home Association

Location: Hinckley, ME

Amount Requested: \$3,450,000

Project Purpose: To fund critical infrastructure improvements on the historic campus.

Community Hub of Isle au Haut - Community Center

Recipient: Community Hub of Isle au Haut

Location: Isle au Haut, ME

Amount Requested: \$3,825,000

Project Purpose: To support the building of an island community center.

Kennebunkport Historical Society - Archive Expansion Project

Recipient: Kennebunkport Historical Society

Location: Kennebunkport, ME

Amount Requested: \$1,000,000

Project Purpose: To support the expansion of a new archive storage facility to protect fragile and historically significant materials.

Town of Liberty - Community Center & Town Offices

Recipient: Town of Liberty

Location: Liberty, ME

Amount Requested: \$1,500,000

Project Purpose: To support public safety, accessibility, and HVAC improvements to repurpose the former Walker Elementary School into a municipal town office and community center.

Madawaska Historical Society - Facility Expansion

Recipient: Madawaska Historical Society

Location: Madawaska, ME

Amount Requested: \$235,000

Project Purpose: To construct a facility to preserve, restore, and publicly display Acadian agricultural artifacts.

Bijou Theatre - HVAC System Upgrades

Recipient: Bijou Theater and Enrichment Center

Location: Pittsfield ME

Amount Requested: \$250,000

Project Purpose: To fund the installation of a modern HVAC system.

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City of Rockland - Police Station

Recipient: City of Rockland

Location: Rockland, ME

Amount Requested: \$2,475,000

Project Purpose: To renovate an office building into a state-of-the-art police facility for today's community policing.

Town of Sebec - Fire Station

Recipient: Town of Sebec Fire Department

Location: Sebec, ME

Amount Requested: \$1,500,000

Project Purpose: To construct a new fire station.

Common Good Soup Kitchen - Food Access Facility Project

Recipient: Common Good Soup Kitchen

Location: Southwest Harbor, ME

Amount Requested: \$500,000

Project Purpose: To support the acquisition of a facility to provide year-round food access.

Troy Volunteer Fire Department - Fire Station Expansion

Recipient: Troy Volunteer Fire Department

Location: Troy, ME

Amount Requested: \$1,458,000

Project Purpose: To expand the fire station to improve fire prevention services and public safety.

Town of Washington - Salt and Sand Shed

Recipient: Town of Washington

Location: Washington, ME

Amount Requested: \$825,000

Project Purpose: To build a new salt and sand shed for improved material storage and operations.

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Dear Chair Hoeven and Ranking Member Shaheen,

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 Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies 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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