



# King Congressionally Directed Spending Requests (FY 2026)

Name & Contact Info	Mailing Address	Permanent Address
Name:	Street 1:	Street 1:
Phone:	Street 2:	Street 2:
Phone:	City:	City:
Email:	State/Zip:	State/Zip:

*\* indicates a required field.*

## Section 1. Contact Information

### 1. Name of submitting organization \*

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### 2. Organization's legal name \*

100 character limit

### 3. Tax Identification Number \*

100 character limit

### 4. Is the applicant a sub-entity of a larger organization? \*

Yes  No

#### 4.1 If yes, please list name of parent organization

100 character limit

### 5. Is the requesting organization a for-profit entity? NOTE: For-profit entities are not eligible for Congressionally directed spending funds. \*

Yes  No

### 6. Name of Primary Contact \*

100 character limit

### 7. Title of Primary Contact \*

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### 8. Address Line 1 \*

100 character limit

### 9. Address Line 2

100 character limit

### 10. City \*

100 character limit

### 11. State \*

Select... 

**12. ZIP Code (or ZIP+4) \***

##### or #####-####

**13. Phone of Primary Contact \***

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**14. Email of Primary Contact \***

i.e. your-email@mail.com

**15. Name of Org. Head \***

100 character limit

**16. Title of Org. Head \***

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**Section 2. Appropriations Bill and Account Information**

Please only select "Yes" to the one relevant appropriations bill, and then select the appropriate account within that bill.

Once you have selected an account, please check the "Eligible Accounts" PDF on Sen. King's CDS webpage to see if the account has a specific eligibility question(s). Please also be prepared to answer these in Sec. 3 when providing a written description and justification for the project.

**1. Is this proposal for funds available in the Agriculture, Food and Drug Administration and Rural Development bill? \***

Yes  No

**1.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

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Select one:

Agriculture Research Service, Building and Facilities (ARS B&F) ,  
Animal Plant Health Inspection Service, S&E (APHIS) ,  
Natural Resources Conservation Service, Conservation, Operations (NRCS) ,  
Watershed Prevention Operations (WFPO) , Rural Development, Community Facilities grants ,  
Rural Development, Distance Learning, Telemedicine, and Broadband grants

**2. Is this proposal for funds available in the Commerce, Justice, Science bill? \***

Yes  No

**2.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

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Select one:

Department of Commerce: National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST); Scientific and Technical Research Services (STRS); External Projects ,  
Department of Commerce National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST); Construction of Research Facilities ,  
Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOA); Operations, Research, and Facilities (ORF); Special Projects ,  
Department of Justice; Office of Justice Programs; State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance; Byrne Discretionary ,  
Department of Justice; Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS); COPS Law Enforcement Technology ,  
National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Safety, Security, and Mission Support

**3. Is this proposal for funds available in the Energy & Water Development bill? \***

Yes  No

**3.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

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Select one:

Corps of Engineers: Investigations , Corps of Engineers: Construction ,  
 Corps of Engineers: Operations & Maintenance , Corps of Engineers: Mississippi Rivers & Tributaries ,  
 Bureau of Reclamation: Water and Related resources , Department of Energy: Renewable and Clean Energy ,  
 Department of Energy: Electricity and Energy Resiliency , Department of Energy: Cybersecurity and Energy Security ,  
 Department of Energy: Nuclear Energy , Department of Energy: Fossil Energy and Carbon Management

**4. Is this proposal for funds available in the Financial Services and General Government bill? \***

Yes  No

**4.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

Once you have selected an account, please check the "Eligible Accounts" PDF ([HERE](#)) on Sen. King's CDS webpage to see if the account has a specific eligibility question(s). Please also be prepared to answer these in Sec. 4 when providing a written description and justification for the project.

Select one:

General Services Administration, Federal Buildings Fund, Construction and Acquisition ,  
 General Services Administration, Federal Buildings Fund, Repairs and Alterations ,  
 National Archives and Records Administration, National Historical Publications and Records Commission ,  
 National Archives and Records Administration, Repair and Restoration ,  
 Office of National Drug Control Policy, Administrative Provision (Prevention Grants) ,  
 Small Business Administration, Administrative Provision

**5. Is this proposal for funds available in the Homeland Security bill? \***

Yes  No

**5.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

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Select one: FEMA – Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM) Grants , FEMA – Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Grants

**6. Is this proposal for funds available in the Interior, Environment bill? \***

Yes  No

**6.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

Once you have selected an account, please check the "Eligible Accounts" PDF ([HERE](#)) on Sen. King's CDS webpage to see if the account has a specific eligibility question(s). Please also be prepared to answer these in Sec. 4 when providing a written description and justification for the project.

Select one:

EPA, State and Tribal Assistance Grants, Water and Wastewater Infrastructure ,  
 National Park Service, Historic Preservation Fund ,  
 U.S. Forest Service, State and Private Forestry, Forest Resource Information and Analysis ,  
 Land and Water Conservation Fund: BLM, Land Acquisition ,  
 Land and Water Conservation Fund: FWS, Land Acquisition ,  
 Land and Water Conservation Fund: NPS, Land Acquisition ,  
 Land and Water Conservation Fund: USFS, Land Acquisition ,  
 Land and Water Conservation Fund: USFS, Forest Legacy , Legacy Restoration Fund: BLM, Legacy Restoration Fund ,  
 Legacy Restoration Fund: FWS, Legacy Restoration Fund , Legacy Restoration Fund: NPS, Legacy Restoration Fund ,  
 Legacy Restoration Fund: BIE, Legacy Restoration Fund , Legacy Restoration Fund: USFS, Legacy Restoration Fund ,  
 Land Management Agencies: BLM, Construction ,  
 Land Management Agencies: FWS, Construction Projects, Line Item Construction ,  
 Land Management Agencies: NPS, Construction, Line Item Construction and Maintenance ,  
 Land Management Agencies: USFS, Capital Improvement and Maintenance, Facilities, Roads and Trails ,  
 Land Management Agencies, Local Projects and Research: BLM, Management of Land and Resources, Land Management Priorities ,  
 Land Management Agencies, Local Projects and Research: NPS, National Recreation and Preservation, Statutory and Contractual Aid ,  
 Land Management Agencies, Local Projects and Research: FWS, Resource Management, Stewardship Priorities ,  
 Land Management Agencies, Local Projects and Research: USGS, Surveys, Investigations, and Research, Special Initiatives ,  
 Bureau of Indian Affairs, Operation of Indian Programs, Special Initiatives ,  
 EPA, Science and Technology, Research: National Priorities ,  
 EPA, State and Tribal Assistance Grants, STAG Infrastructure Grants , SFC: HIS, Sanitation Facilities Construction

**7. Is this proposal for funds available in the Labor, Health and Human Services and Education bill? \***

Yes  No

**7.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

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Select one:

Administration for Children and Families – Child Abuse Prevention and Social Services Research and Demonstration ,  
 Administration for Community Living – Aging and Disability Services Program ,  
 Department of Labor: Employment and Training Administration , Fund for the Improvement of Education (FIE) ,  
 Health Resources Service Administration ,  
 Higher Ed – Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE) ,  
 Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (Combining mental health, substance abuse treatment and substance abuse prevention) ,  
 Other

**8. Is this proposal for funds available in the Military Construction and Veterans Affairs bill? \***

Yes  No

**8.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

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Select one:

Military Construction, Army , Military Construction, Navy and Marine Corps , Military Construction, Air Force ,  
 Military Construction, Defense-Wide , Military Construction, Army National Guard ,  
 Military Construction, Air National Guard , Military Construction, Army Reserve ,  
 Military Construction, Navy Reserve , Military Construction, Air Force Reserve

**9. Is this proposal for funds available in the Transportation, Housing and Urban Development bill? \***

Yes  No

**9.1 Please identify which account from the drop down menu.**

Once you have selected an account, please check the "Eligible Accounts" PDF ([HERE](#)) on Sen. King's CDS webpage to see if the account has a specific eligibility question(s). Please be prepared to answer these in Sec. 4 when providing a written description and justification for the project.

Select one:

- Transportation Planning, Research, and Development (TPR&D) for transportation research projects ,
- Grants-in-Aid for Airports (Airport Improvement Program or AIP) for airport capital projects ,
- Highway Infrastructure Programs (HIP) for highway capital projects ,
- Transit Infrastructure Grants (TIG) for transit capital projects ,
- Consolidated Rail Infrastructure and Safety Improvement Program (CRISI) for rail capital projects ,
- Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Economic Development Initiatives (EDI) for economic development projects ,
- FAA Facilities and Equipment (F&E) (only for terminal ATC facilities)

**10.If you selected the HUD Economic Development Initiatives account, please detail how the project serves low- to moderate-income communities in the region. This can be LMI information about the service area or population served by the organization.**

**If you did not select the HUD Economic Development Initiatives account, please skip this question.**

**11.Does your project involve construction or major renovation? Does the project involve the acquisition of land? Please provide detail. (250 word limit) \***

**12.Does your CDS request comply with general CDS guidance, applicable to all accounts? \***

CDS funding cannot be used to reimburse costs incurred before the CDS funds have been awarded, and projects which involve construction may not begin before CDS funds are awarded, unless the construction is broken up into distinct phases. CDS funds cannot be used to sub-grant to other organizations. Does your request comply with this guidance?

Yes  No

**13.Does this project meet the necessary criteria for certain accounts as outlined in the list of eligible CDS accounts? \***

The list of eligible accounts can be found [HERE](#).

Yes  No

**14.Have you confirmed that your organization can secure the required matching funds for the account you have chosen? What is the amount, and source for the matching funds? (250 word limit) \***

### Section 3. Funding Request and Statement of Needs

**1. Name of Proposal \***

100 character limit

**2. Is the project statewide? \***

Only answer "yes" if the specific activities of your project will take place across multiple locations in the State of Maine.

Yes  No

**3. Town/City in Maine where project is located \***

100 character limit

**4. County in Maine where the project is located \***

Please check counties served by this project

- Androscoggin  Aroostook  Cumberland  Franklin  Hancock  Kennebec  Knox  Lincoln  Oxford  
 Penobscot  Piscataquis  Sagadahoc  Somerset  Waldo  Washington  York

**5. Amount of Congressionally directed spending request \***

This must be entered in whole-number dollars, using no commas, decimals, or symbols. The system will reject answers with commas, decimals, or symbols.

**6. Total cost of the project (including amount of CDS request) \***

Total dollar amount, from all sources. This must be entered in whole-number dollars, using no commas, decimals, or symbols. The system will reject answers with commas, decimals, or symbols.

**7. Please provide a short description of the project in one to two sentences. Summarize only the project you intend to use CDS funds for. (100 word limit) \***

**8. Please provide a short description of your organization's mission, and the importance of this project for your community. (100 word limit) \***

**9. Please describe the specific need driving this project, including any particular challenges in acquiring funding for this project. (100 word limit) \***

**10. Priority ranking of proposal (if submitting multiple proposals) \***

If only one proposal is being submitted, please enter 1.

**11. Has this request been or will it be submitted to another member of the Maine delegation? \***
 Yes  No
**11.1 Which office (s)? Please select all that apply.**

- Senator Collins  Representative Pingree  Representative Golden

**12. Detailed project proposal. (500 word limit) \***

This should include a detailed description of the project that CDS funds are being requested for, current developmental status, and answers to additional account specific "eligibility questions" if any were listed when selecting an account in Section 2. Please be specific as to how CDS funds will be spent if awarded for this project. Please be clear and succinct in your answers.

**13.D. If applicable, please identify the state plan on which this project is included. For example, the State Transportation Improvement Plan; the Highway Improvement Plan; the Clean/Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Intended Use Plan; etc.**

**14. Please specify any other sources of funding that have been or are fully anticipated to be applied toward the project, including any dollar amounts and timelines for funding. (200 word limit) \***

If there are matching funds dependent upon receipt of CDS money, please list those here too.

**15. What percent of Congressionally Directed funding requested is the total project cost?**

100 character limit

**16. Could the project start in a limited capacity if the Appropriations Committee cannot fully fund the project request? \***

Yes  No

**17. Can the project obligate all of the requested funds within 12 months after the receipt of the funds? \***

Yes  No

**18. Is any part of this request subject to outside approval? \***

(i.e. will the project, a local match, or any project component be subject to approval, vote, or referendum by the town, city, county, or leadership board associated with the requesting entity, etc.)

Yes  No

**18.1 If yes, please describe. (100 word limit)**

**19. Please describe the community/local support for the project, including listing any entities partnering in or providing non-financial support for the project. (500 word limit) \***

Please upload any supportive documents that support the assertions in this question. *You will have the opportunity to upload those documents at the end of this application process.*

**20. What is the estimated start date for the project and how long would it take to be completed? (100 word limit) \***

**21. Will the project, if funded, become self-sustaining after a defined period of time? (100 word limit) \***

**22. Please provide a brief description of the oversight structure, including accountability measures, and performance standards used to evaluate the success of the project. (500 word limit) \***

## Section 4. Funding History

**1. Describe any past federal funding in support of this project. (500 word limit) \***

**2. Was the Project Request Submitted to Senator King or other congressional offices in prior fiscal years? \***

Yes  No

**3. Has the project received past Congressionally Directed Spending funds in the past? \***

Yes  No

**3.1 If yes, please identify when and what funding. (100 word limit)**

**4. Is this a One-Time Request for Congressionally Directed Support? \***

Yes  No

**5. Has the organization or any potential sub-grantees been subject to sanction or litigation by State, Local, or Federal governments in the past five years? \***

Yes  No

**5.1 If "yes", please provide details.**