



United States Senate

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The Honorable Patty Murray
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Susan Collins
Vice Chair
Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chair and Vice Chair:

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 2025 Commerce, Justice, Science, 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Laphonza Butler". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "L".

Laphonza Butler
United States Senator

**Butler, Laphonza(D-CA) Commerce, Justice and Science
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
City of Alameda	Funds would be used to establish a Crime Victims Initiative within the City Attorney's Office to provide the City of Alameda's first victim advocates, thus furthering equitable access to justice.	Alameda CA	\$900
City of Citrus Heights	Funds would be used to purchase a First Responder Emergency Rescue Vehicle to allow first responders to insert emergency medical personnel and bring emergency medical assistance to areas.	Citrus Heights CA	\$400
City of Corona	Funding would be used to procure up-to-date, industry standard hardware and computer-aided technology for the City's Police Department as it develops a Real Time Information Center to address the need for real time information for Police Department personnel in the field.	Corona CA	\$1,545
City of Fresno	Funding would be used to install and commission upgraded radio equipment throughout the City of Fresno for Public Safety communications at 14 different sites.	Fresno CA	\$1,750
Hesperia Recreation and Park District	Funds would be used for the replacement of the fleet, addressing critical concerns related to operational efficiency, reliability, and safety standards.	Hesperia CA	\$1,870
City of Huron	Funds would be used for a comprehensive equipment update for their Police Department.	Huron CA	\$262
City of Kingsburg	Funds would be used to purchase body-worn cameras and in-vehicle police dash cameras to increase transparency in community policing, accountability, and overall public safety.	Kingsburg CA	\$600
City of Lompoc	Funds would be used to enhance emergency response and critical communications capabilities.	Lompoc CA	\$2,987
California State University, Long Beach	Funds would be used for a three-year pilot program to support overall campus safety and wellness, assist students in achieving their academic goals, and provide a healthy and rewarding work experience for campus staff and faculty.	Long Beach CA	\$3,115
City of Los Angeles	Funds would be used to expand the City of Los Angeles' Crisis and Incident Response through Community-led Engagement (CIRCLE) Program to additional neighborhoods.	Los Angeles CA	\$10,000
City of Los Angeles	Funds would be used to expand the City of Los Angeles' Gang Reduction and Youth Development (GRYD) Program.	Los Angeles CA	\$5,000
Cedars-Sinai Medical Center	Funding would be used to purchase a three-photon microscope, which will allow researchers to capture real-time, live images of the brain at the cellular level.	Los Angeles CA	\$750
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department	Funds would be used for procurement of a mobile response vehicle (staffed with Department psychologists and peer support personnel) which would be deployed to expand crisis responses, as well as Department wellness outreach.	Los Angeles County CA	\$450
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department	Funding would be used for the acquisition of a search and rescue helicopter.	Los Angeles County CA	\$3,000
Marine Mammal Care Center - Los Angeles	Funds would be used for the Marine Mammal Care Center's public response hotline, dispatch and response team.	Los Angeles County and Catalina Island CA	\$1,000

Interagency Communications Interoperability System JPA	Funds would be used for regional preparedness and capabilities essential to the protection of lives and property throughout LA County.	Los Angeles and Glendale CA	\$4,000
City of Manteca	Funding would be used to purchase equipment necessary for the deployment of a Real Time Information Center.	Manteca CA	\$585
County of Contra Costa	Funding will be used for the Healing and Justice for Underserved Survivors of Labor Trafficking Project that will address gaps in services and support for victims of labor trafficking.	Martinez CA	\$390
City of Modesto	Funds would be used to install additional cameras in City parks and to expand the Real Time Crime Center in size and staffing.	Modesto CA	\$3,000
City of Monterey Park	Funds would be used to purchase a Tactical Emergency Services Vehicle to respond to critical incidents, mass casualty incidents and high-risk call-outs quickly and safely.	Monterey Park CA	\$336
San Bernardino County	Funds would be used for three mobile command posts to coordinate community events, natural disaster response, missing persons investigations and search and rescue operations.	Morongo Valley, Phelan, Barstow CA	\$3,000
City of Oakland Department of Violence Prevention	Funds would be used to enhance the capacity of the Department of Violence Prevention to deliver intensive life coaching and violence interruption services.	Oakland CA	\$3,174
County of Butte	Funds would be used to modernize the Emergency Operations Center and improve disaster preparedness and response capabilities.	Oroville CA	\$200
County of Placer	Funds would be used for purchasing and installing ten new 800MHz P25-compliant radio consoles and upgrading various hardware components at each of the ten dispatch stations.	Placer County CA	\$1,560
City of Redondo Beach	Funding would be used for a pilot program aimed at supporting individuals facing mental health crises by deploying mental health clinicians, EMTs, and substance abuse counselors.	Redondo Beach CA	\$1,300
University of California Riverside	Funding would be used to support the UC Riverside Atmospheric Simulation and Measurement Laboratory that will enable simulation of environmental conditions anywhere in the world in order to study a wide range of atmospheric processes.	Riverside CA	\$10,000
City of Sacramento	Funds would be used for two Behavioral Health Response Units that will respond to individuals experiencing challenges with mental and behavioral health, homelessness, or chronic mental health concerns.	Sacramento CA	\$3,500
California State University, San Bernardino	Funds would be used to begin the evolution of the regional workforce's ability to harness AI and VR for cybersecurity and supply chain occupations.	San Bernardino CA	\$1,000
San Bernardino County	Funding will be used to renovate the existing DNA and Trace analysis lab to accommodate more staff, install modern technology, add new flooring, make electrical upgrades, improve the HVAC system, correct ADA issues, and provide a more functional DNA testing area.	San Bernardino CA	\$5,000
San Diego Community College District	Funds would be used to launch the Mobile Crisis Team (MCT) to tackle severe mental health emergencies for the San Diego Community College District (SDCCD) community.	San Diego CA	\$1,646
City of San Diego	Funds would be used to purchase an emergency response multi-rescue vessel to help support the City's public safety efforts to mitigate increased shipboard fires occurring in San Diego Bay and Mission Bay.	San Diego CA	\$1,500

The Regents of the University of California	Funds would be used to support buildout of a Future Oceans Simulator in the new Experimental Aquarium at Scripps Institution of Oceanography.	San Diego CA	\$3,000
San Francisco General Hospital Foundation	Funds would be used for a multi-faceted program aimed at serving San Franciscans experiencing mental health and homelessness crises.	San Francisco CA	\$1,515
San José State University Research Foundation	Funds would be used to develop tools to combat AI-generated child sexual abuse materials.	San Jose CA	\$850
San José State University Research Foundation	Funds would be used to promote social justice and equity by addressing the disproportionate impact of the criminal justice system on communities of color and low-income individuals.	San Jose CA	\$500
City of San Leandro	Funding would be used to deploy an alternative response team to respond to nonviolent 911 calls to better address individuals' needs related to behavioral health, substance use, or other quality of life concerns.	San Leandro CA	\$1,500
City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County (C/CAG)	Funding would be used to implement a countywide integrated water infrastructure and resource management strategy designed to address the overlapping climate risks to community infrastructure.	San Mateo County CA	\$2,000
City of San Pablo	Funding would be used to support critical incident response and on-going cyber-crime investigations.	San Pablo CA	\$2,000
Discovery Science Foundation	Funds would be used for coding stations that will allow students to code rocket launches and rover explorations of the Moon.	Santa Ana CA	\$1,990
The Regents of the University of California	Funding will increase the resilience of water supply, fisheries, and biodiversity by engaging with local stakeholder groups to help plan, implement, and monitor watershed restoration projects.	Santa Cruz CA	\$390
City of Santa Monica	Funding would be used to replace 10 outdated dispatcher consoles in the 911 Dispatch & Communications Center.	Santa Monica CA	\$741
City of Santa Monica	Funding would be used to support the LEAD Program, an evidence-based youth development initiative that utilizes prevention and intervention to build leaders in the Santa Monica community.	Santa Monica CA	\$358
The Marine Mammal Center	Funds will be used to improve data reporting and promote science-based coastal resource management and resilience.	Sausalito CA	\$925
Sacramento River Settlement Contractors Corporation	Funding would be used to restore and enhance up to 156 acres of riverside floodplain that comprises the 306-acre Rancho Breisgau Unit of the Sacramento Bend in Shasta and Tehama Counties.	Shasta and Tehama Counties CA	\$4,500
County of Solano	Funding would be used to provide a unified, modern communications system that links all police and fire departments into a single communications network.	Solano County CA	\$3,000
Solano County Public Defender's Office	Funding would be used to establish a pilot program that will enhance and expand pretrial services for indigent adults without legal representation, provide connections to community resources and individuals with lived experience.	Solano County CA	\$359
City of South Gate	Funding would be used to purchase the Computer Aided Dispatch Software (CAD) and Records Management System to help manage and respond to emergencies.	South Gate CA	\$1,000
City of Stockton	Funding would be used to develop a proof of concept automated voice response system that will provide efficient service to the community.	Stockton CA	\$500
City of Tustin	Funding would be used for the implementation/installation of security cameras at City facilities including the historic Tustin Hanger and parks that do not currently have security cameras.	Tustin CA	\$2,000

Upland Police Department	Funding would be used to purchase a Computer Aided Dispatch and Management System that will enhance public safety and optimize emergency response.	Upland CA	\$1,151
Upland Police Department	Funding would be used to replace outdated and unsupported hand-held radios for the Upland Police Department.	Upland CA	\$1,353
Vallejo Police Department	Funding would be used to purchase and deploy a mobile command unit to be used city-wide for both enforcement and non-enforcement activities, as well as an upgrade to the VPD's SWAT and Hostage Negotiation Tactic (HNT) vehicles.	Vallejo CA	\$1,375
City of Ventura	Funds would be used to purchase a Mobile Command Post.	Ventura CA	\$850
City of Woodland	Funds would be used to replace outdated communications and radio system currently utilized by the City's Police and Fire departments.	Woodland CA	\$2,000