



United States Senate

May 6, 2024

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
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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 Energy and Water Development 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, flowing style.

Laphonza Butler
United States Senator

**Butler, Laphonza(D-CA) Energy and Water Development
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to upgrade the Copper Cove Wastewater Treatment Plant, which provides reclaimed wastewater for irrigation and prevents future wastewater discharges into environmentally sensitive areas.	Calaveras County CA	\$3,100
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to add the BMK site to the existing Hamilton Wetlands Project to restore tidal wetlands.	Novato CA	\$4,400
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to promote holistic, sustainable, and inclusive approaches to water management in the Sacramento-San Joaquin River Delta to maximize resilience and the benefits of future investment in water infrastructures.	Acampo CA	\$2,000
City of Adelanto	Funds would be used for predevelopment activities, including feasibility studies, site selection, and engineering studies for the Green Hydrogen Energy Project.	Adelanto CA	\$2,000
Bureau of Reclamation	Funds will be used to implement a station that generates both hydrogen and electricity, and enables the station to service both hydrogen and electric vehicles.	Alameda County CA	\$10,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will be used to rehabilitate the South Beach Seawall, a critical piece of resilient infrastructure that protects the sand as well as pedestrians and businesses from storm events and high tides.	Avalon CA	\$1,600
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will be used to replace the existing aging well pump to increase pumping capacity; equip a new well as a new primary source and construct a new reservoir to meet demand requirements.	Bell Gardens CA	\$12,500
Bureau of Reclamation	Funds would be used to contribute to the implementation of the County's Recharge Action Plan and assist with achieving long-term groundwater sustainability goals.	Butte County CA	\$2,200
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding would be used to update and revise the Water Control Manuals (WCMs) for New Bullards Bar Dam and Oroville Dam to protect communities from the impacts of extreme weather events, such as flooding resulting from atmospheric river events.	Butte County, Sutter County, Yuba County CA	\$3,361
City of Chino Hills	Funding will be used to install solar photovoltaic systems at four City facilities. These facilities function as emergency operations centers or shelters and are essential for the City to maintain continuity of services.	Chino Hills CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to continue the construction of the Pajaro River Flood Risk Management Project.	City of Watsonville, Santa Cruz County and Town of Pajaro, Monterey County CA	\$200,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds for the West Sacramento Project to provide 200-year flood protection to the residents and businesses of West Sacramento.	City of West Sacramento, CA CA	\$43,463
Bureau of Reclamation	Funds would be used to reactivate floodplains at a landscape scale, for the benefit of fish, wildlife, and people.	Colusa County, Glenn County, Sacramento County, Sutter County, Yolo County CA	\$15,000
Central Contra Costa Sanitary District (Central San)	Funding will support Central San's transition from less energy efficient UV system to a energy efficient UV system, reducing disinfection energy demand up to 60 percent.	Contra Costa CA	\$4,000

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Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will be used to promote a holistic, sustainable, and inclusive approach to water management in the Delta.	Contra Costa, Sacramento, San Joaquin, and Solano Counties CA	\$8,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to support the Groundwater Quality Protection Project, which seeks to safeguard the pristine water quality of the two aquifers in the Desert Hot Springs Subbasin at the northern end of the Coachella Valley and the Salton Sea Watershed.	Desert Hot Springs CA	\$4,000
Bureau of Reclamation	Funds would be used to develop tools to improve the understanding of watershed patterns impacting water quality and water supply system operations.	El Dorado County CA	\$800
Bureau of Reclamation	Funds will improve hydrologic monitoring/forecasting in the American River Basin, providing key information for real time and future information on water supply, flood planning, drought preparedness, and fire readiness.	El Dorado County CA	\$4,500
Bureau of Reclamation	Funding will develop a non-potable water source for irrigation purposes within the City's water service area.	Folsom CA	\$300
City of Fontana	Funding would be used to install solar panels and battery packs to obtain renewable energy efficiently across multiple facilities in the City of Fontana.	Fontana CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would support a multi-benefit project to improve the overall water supply conditions, sustainability, flood protection and environmental improvements for the cities of Fresno and Clovis.	Fresno County CA	\$700
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would support a USACE feasibility study on the raising of Pine Flat Dam to address flooding risk.	Fresno County, Kings County, Tulare County CA	\$100
Bureau of Reclamation	Funding would support the Community Resilience and Water Energy Reliability Improvements Project, which aims to increase energy reliability and water resiliency in the Georgetown Divide and surrounding communities through investments in clean energy.	Georgetown CA	\$7,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to determine the federal interest in, and feasibility of, a project to build long-term resilience for public health and safety, water quality and transportation corridors, wetlands, and biological resources.	Half Moon Bay CA	\$200
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used for the tide gates removal portion of the Westminster East Garden Grove project.	Huntington Beach CA	\$20,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used for the Bolsa Bay Outlet Improvements portion of the larger Westminster East Garden Grove (WEGG) project.	Huntington Beach CA	\$32,700
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding would be used to investigate the feasibility of alternatives identified in the State of California's Salton Sea Long-Range Plan for restoring the degraded ecosystem structure, function, and dynamic processes at the Salton Sea, as well as improving air quality.	Imperial and Riverside Counties CA	\$2,506
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding would be used to support replacing the Morningside Reservoir to improve water supply reliability, stabilize water pressure to the Inglewood water distribution system, and enhance water service to the community.	Inglewood CA	\$3,750
Water Replenishment District	Funds would be used to transition the Water Replenishment District to electric vehicles.	Lakewood CA	\$430

Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds will be used to address sediment that has accumulated in the harbor entrance and main channel.	Los Angeles County CA	\$2,000
City of Los Angeles - Mayor Karen Bass	Funds will be used to provide electrical power charging systems at LAX bus yard.	Los Angeles County CA	\$1,000
City of Los Angeles	Funds will be used to provide electrical power hookups for cargo airplanes parked at a number of cargo gates and associated smart-charging infrastructure for ground support equipment at LAX.	Los Angeles County CA	\$1,000
Clean Power Alliance of Southern California (CPA)	Funds will be used for backup power systems because power outages become more common with increased wildfires, public safety power shutoffs, and grid emergencies due to high heat.	Los Angeles County, Ventura County CA	\$1,400
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to conduct a Feasibility Study examining project options to protect over 50,000 residents of the cities of Stockton, Manteca, and Lathrop, as well as the critical infrastructure of that region.	Manteca, and Lathrop, and Stockton CA	\$1,624
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will be used to connect the Soulajule Reservoir to Nicasio Reservoir and thus to Marin Water's drinking water system via a new pipeline that would replace the current open-channel flow.	Marin County CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding would restore a mosaic of wetland and upland habitats.	Martinez CA	\$4,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds will be used to evaluate solutions for flood control on the Black Rascal Watershed with the goal of increasing the level of flood protection from a 50-year level of flood protection to a 200-year level of flood protection for the Merced urban area.	Merced County CA	\$1,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to combine stormwater catchments to minimize the number of stormwater discharges and generate additional water supply for the region.	Monterey County CA	\$875
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would support investigation components and a feasibility study of the Conn Creek Dam and Lake Hennessy Spillway Project.	Napa, County CA	\$500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will provide increased flood protection to the residents and property within the basin.	Natomas Basin; north of Sacramento, CA CA	\$34,440
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding would be used to determine the feasibility of shore protection measures to prevent erosion and protect life and property from waves and storms.	Pacifica CA	\$1,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to upgrade the City of Paramount's water treatment facilities to provide increased water supply system resilience, reliability, and water quality for the Paramount Water System.	Paramount CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to install brackish transmission pipelines which will expand the Perris II Desalination Facility.	Perris CA	\$6,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds will be used to increase the water reliability to serve 41,000 treated water customers within the PCWA service area and 154,635 residents within the City of Roseville's service area during Public Safety Power Shutoff events.	Placer County CA	\$3,000
California State University, Sacramento	Funding would be used to support the Charging the Future for Underserved Communities initiative, a first-of-its-kind energy, power, and innovation hub that seeks to train students in EV charging maintenance and other green job skills.	Sacramento CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to support County efforts to identify flood risk reduction measures along the Cosumnes River.	Sacramento County CA	\$2,000

Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding would be used to support the development of a project design for the City of San Mateo to improve flood control and increase stormwater retention in Marina Lagoon.	San Mateo CA	\$2,000
Bureau of Reclamation	Funds would be used to develop an implementation plan for expansion and improvements to the Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system to provide the Water Authority with improved reliability and security of their communication network while lowering operating costs.	San Diego CA	\$250
San Diego County Water Authority Emergency Operations Center	Funding would support the design of safety updates to Hodges Dam. Hodges Dam, which is 104 years old, has been deemed unsatisfactory by the California Division of Safety and Dams.	San Diego CA	\$1,500
Bureau of Reclamation	Funding will support a project to replace portions of pipelines within Moosa Creek in Northern San Diego County to mitigate hazards identified.	San Diego CA	\$1,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to conduct geotechnical investigations, new hydrology and hydraulic analysis, additional environmental studies, levee void identification, and design for repairs.	San Diego County CA	\$20,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds will be used to complete design and environmental work to upgrade the storm drain systems at Ash Street and Rose Street.	San Diego County CA	\$750
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will be used for maintenance dredging. Failure to dredge the harbor would result in significant negative impacts.	San Diego County CA	\$4,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used for a section 1122 beneficial use project under construction.	San Francisco CA	\$12,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds will be used to prepare a feasibility study and determine alternatives for protecting critical utility infrastructure from flood impacts.	San Joaquin County CA	\$5,500
Bureau of Reclamation	Funds would be used to construct a 6-mile water pipeline in the San Benito County Water District.	San Juan Bautista CA	\$3,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to replace wastewater infrastructure serving 150 low-income households in a mobile home park that was purchased by the Nation in 2016 (formerly the Ship Ashore Mobile Home Park, renamed Xaa-wan-k'wvt Village & Resort).	Smith River CA	\$7,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding will be used to develop a holistic plan that identifies high-priority water, wastewater, recycled water, drainage and flood infrastructure needs.	Solano County CA	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to reimburse the San Joaquin Area Flood Control payment from the Army Corps of Engineers for a major flood control project that Congress authorized in 1996.	Stockton, California CA	\$2,953
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would support the Lower San Joaquin River Flood Control Project to protect over 300,000 residents from flood risk.	Stockton, California CA	\$10,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds would be used to provide 30,000 acre-feet of recharged water yearly, securing supplies for 150,000 local residents and over a million people across three counties.	Temecula CA	\$4,000
Bureau of Reclamation	Funding will be used for the continued cleanup of groundwater throughout the San Gabriel Basin.	West Covina CA	\$10,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funding for water and wastewater related infrastructure projects for the City.	Whittier, California CA	\$250

Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds will be used to preserve the floodway capacity of the Yolo Bypass by entrapping the heavy sediment load carried by Cache Creek.	Yolo County CA	\$1,500
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	Funds will be used to design and construct a drinking water well that will enable the water district to minimize the use of treated imported water, as well as installation of a transmission pipeline to the water district's PFAS Water Treatment Plant.	Yorba Linda CA	\$1,105