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The Honorable Chris Van Hollen Chairman Appropriations Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government Washington, DC 20510 The Honorable Cindy Hyde-Smith Ranking Member Appropriations Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Van Hollen and Ranking Member Hyde-Smith:

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 2023 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Casey, Jr.

United States Senator

Casey, Robert(D-PA) Financial Services and General Government Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Mansmann Foundation	This project will provide funding for the Entrepreneurs Forever program to fund the expansion of their peer-to-peer entrepreneurship program intended for small businesses making under \$1 million to 300 local small businesses in 25 counties in western Pennsylvania.	Allegheny County PA	\$1,170
Pennsylvania State University	The project would provide funding for the Workforce of the Future program at Pennsylvania State University, an initiative focused on economic empowerment of historically disenfranchised workers in rural Pennsylvania. The funding would be used to purchase equipment to bolster the region's manufacturing capability.	Centre County PA	\$441
Scranton Lackawanna Industrial Building Company	The Lackawanna County United Entrepreneurship Project will establish a regional entrepreneurial enterprise in northeastern Pennsylvania. Resources would include multiple specialized spaces to help grow startups in the region including laboratory, innovation, and incubation space. The funding would also assist with building reconfigurations and upgrades to various components of the facilities.	Lackawanna County PA	\$777
Ben Franklin Technology Partners Corporation	This project will provide funding to Ben Franklin Technology Partners Corporation to expand and build upon their entrepreneur support and investment programs to help more minority and women led startups launch and grow in Pennsylvania.	Lehigh County PA	\$1,500
Philadelphia Chinatown Development Corporation	This project will provide funding for the Corridor Revitalization Initiative in Philadelphia's Chinatown Commercial District. The Corridor Revitalization Initiative is a COVID-19 pandemic economic recovery initiative focused on creating a space to provide small businesses with culturally-competent and in-language support around capital access, increasing operating efficiency, sales revenue, financial issues, and access to business consultants. The initiative will also generate marketing and promotional campaigns to attract visitors to the corridor.	Philadelphia County PA	\$607
The Enterprise Center	This project will boost small businesses in the Philadelphia area by creating boxes full of resources to distribute to local entrepreneurs. These will include cybersecurity programs, tax and bookkeeping software, model business plans and other educational materials. This "Biz in a Box" program will help an estimated 2,000 businesses throughout the southeast Pennsylvania region.	Philadelphia County PA	\$1,000
City of Washington Citywide Development Corp.	This project will provide the City of Washington Citywide Development Corp with funds to establish a shared-use commercial kitchen and restaurant incubator in downtown Washington. This incubator space will help emerging food-based businesses overcome expensive equipment and start-up costs and provide industry-specific business development, operations, and marketing education.	Washington County PA	\$500