

# United States Senate

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The Honorable Chris Murphy  
Chair  
Subcommittee on Homeland Security  
Senate Committee on Appropriations  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Katie Britt  
Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Homeland Security  
Senate Committee on Appropriations  
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Dear Chair Murphy and Ranking Member Britt:

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 Homeland Security Appropriations 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.

Thank you for your consideration of these important requests.

Sincerely,



Charles E. Schumer  
United States Senator

**Schumer, Charles(D-NY) Homeland Security  
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

<b>Recipient Name</b>	<b>Project Purpose</b>	<b>Project Location</b>	<b>Amount Requested (\$000)</b>
City of Binghamton	The City of Binghamton seeks federal funds to pursue the construction of a new stormwater pump station at the intersection of Moeller and Court Streets to proactively carry stormwater from the surrounding neighborhood to the Susquehanna River. This project arises as flood events continue to increase	Broome NY	\$3,000
Cayuga County	Cayuga County will relocate its 911 Back-Up Center to a separate facility, outside of the County Office building, that will have adequate space for the 911 Back-Up Center to function properly.	Cayuga NY	\$2,000
Cayuga County	Requested funding will be used to design and construct a new Emergency Operations Center in Cayuga County to increase efficiency and effectiveness of emergency response.	Cayuga NY	\$2,000
City of Dunkirk, NY	Project will install engineered structures along the east harbor promenade that mimics natural protective features to protect the vulnerable seawall, roadways, critical infrastructure, residents, and businesses along Lake Erie coastline from more frequent, severe and damaging storms.	Chautauqua NY	\$4,750
Town of Clinton	The Town of Clinton is seeking grant funding for a new generator for the Town campus of three buildings and consolidation of electrical meters.	Dutchess NY	\$143
Erie County Department of Homeland Security & Emergency Services	This project will expand the available space at Erie County's primary Emergency Operations Center for Incident Command and Coordination. Additional benefits of the expansion will facilitate rehabilitation areas for staff committed to extended deployments, as well as function as training space.	Erie NY	\$6,000
New York State Thruway Authority	This project will encompass the repair and strengthening of the New York State Thruway bridge over Scajaquada Creek in preparation for regular flooding.	Erie NY	\$4,400
Village of Saranac Lake	Project would fund the creation of a new emergency services facility, combining the village's police, volunteer fire, and volunteer rescue services into one state-of-the-art building.	Franklin NY	\$100
City of Batavia	Funding would be used to establish a dedicated Emergency Operations Center in the City of Batavia to enhance proactive emergency response capabilities and bolster community resilience.	Genesee NY	\$475
Livingston County, New York	This project will allow for the hardening and increased resiliency, from an energy perspective, of Livingston County's Emergency Operations Center (EOC) at the Hampton Corners Complex in the Town of Groveland.	Livingston NY	\$250
Brockport Fire	The Brockport Fire District in conjunction with the Bergen Fire Department, Churchville Fire Department, Murray Joint and Hamlin-Morton-Walker Fire Districts are proposing to purchase and renovate a house or apartment complex for the needs of implementing a Mutual Aid Bunk-in program.	Monroe NY	\$400
City of Rochester, NY	Requested funds would be used to upgrade audio visual equipment, communications technology, and furniture in a meeting space that is currently used by the City as an "ad hoc" Emergency Operations Center.	Monroe NY	\$100
Town of Hempstead	Funding would safeguard against extreme flood and storm events and provide shoreline protection for four Town of Hempstead facilities.	Nassau NY	\$3,000
Farmingdale State College (SUNY)	Requested funding will support the construction and modernization of an existing Farmingdale State College University Police Department facility to house the campus' Emergency Operations Center (EOC), a training facility, and high security storage.	Nassau NY	\$433

Town of Hempstead	Requested funding will restore bulkhead structure at Lido Range in the Town of Hempstead in light of erosion due to numerous tidal and storm surges.	Nassau NY	\$2,000
Town of North Hempstead, NY	North Hempstead seeks funds to undertake coastal risk management to protect Manhasset Bay from storm surge, erosion, and intense rainfall that contribute to flooding.	Nassau NY	\$9,487
Town of Oyster Bay	The funds will be used to restore TOBAY Beach after damage due to severe weather events.	Nassau NY	\$2,200
City University of New York	Requested funds will be used to harden campus buildings against damage from severe weather events.	New York NY	\$1,000
Regional Emergency Medical Services Council of New York City, Inc.	The funding requested for FY25 will be used to procure Interoperable and Disaster Two Way Radio Communications equipment necessary to support emergency services activities of the New York City Region.	New York NY	\$7,799
Church of the Holy Innocents	Funds will be used to mitigate extensive rain and flood damage to our historic church following the severe Hudson Valley flooding in July 2023, and prevent further damage, to allow our parish to continue to meet many human needs of the Highland Falls/Fort Montgomery/West Point area.	Orange NY	\$225
Putnam County Department of Public Works	Requested funds will be used to replace the spillway of a county-owned dam.	Putnam NY	\$500
Staten Island Economic Development Corporation	Request will fund an economic development study on the geographic area that encompasses Father Capodanno Boulevard from Sand Lane to New Dorp Lane on the East Shore of Staten Island.	Richmond NY	\$150
Montefiore Nyack Hospital Foundation	Montefiore Nyack Hospital aims to enhance its electrical infrastructure by installing two emergency generators and switchgear. This installation will increase the capacity to power critical equipment that is currently not on emergency power.	Rockland NY	\$4,808
Port Jefferson Fire District	Funding will be used to replace a fire engine, and upgrade emergency radio communication systems.	Suffolk NY	\$2,700
Suffolk County	Suffolk County plans to acquire flood-prone properties along the South Shore and tributaries to the Great South Bay due to increased flooding from recent storms. The initiative aims to enhance coastal resilience and safeguard residential areas in Babylon, Islip, and Brookhaven from severe flooding.	Suffolk NY	\$3,000
County of Ulster	Requested funding will enhance Ulster County's public safety capabilities through the construction of a new Emergency Operations Center to be integrated with the County Public Safety Answering Point in a modernized, strategically located facility equipped with advanced technology.	Ulster NY	\$4,000
Washington County Department of Public Safety	Requested funding would be utilized to replace aging Computer Aided Dispatch, Records Management, and Mobile systems for both 911 communications and Operations Center work for all Washington County First Responder agencies (911, Law Enforcement, Fire and EMS).	Washington NY	\$1,000
City of Yonkers	Funds to stabilize the steep hillside west of Warburton Avenue to mitigate the recurrence of mudslides and thereby avert Metro North Railroad blockages, damage to Westchester County's trunk sewer, and destabilization of residences and municipal infrastructure.	Westchester NY	\$4,162
Town of Rye	Funding will be used to prepare for climate change by replacing key infrastructure at Rye Town Park and retrofitting the existing parking lot with innovative green practices, reducing the heat island effect of the existing asphalt surface and securing the park's safety and long-term sustainability.	Westchester NY	\$3,868

City of New Rochelle, Inc. ("CNR")	Project will fund the design and construction of drainage improvements at Flowers (City) Park and surrounding roadways to address extreme flooding concerns experienced during Hurricane Ida and other recent storm events.	Westchester NY	\$2,530
Village of Pelham	The Village of Pelham intends to begin Phase I of a two-phase project, which involves the design and development of documents supporting the second construction phase, to improve the century-old separate stormwater sewer system (MS4) and reduce flooding on and within the vicinity of Highbrook Ave.	Westchester NY	\$1,500
Village of Pelham	The Village of Pelham will begin Phase I of a two-phase project in North Pelham to complete the investigations, design, and final plans for installing new and improving current infrastructure for flood mitigation within the northern section of the Village.	Westchester NY	\$2,500
City of Peekskill	This project will expand upon NYS-funded studies to select a preferred approach to shoreline resiliency, develop engineering designs, and create construction documents and bid specifications to help the City of Peekskill manage flooding and the effects of sea level rise at the Hudson River shore.	Westchester NY	\$1,475
Town of Ossining	The Town of Ossining will conduct a comprehensive storm sewer evaluation for its drainage infrastructure as a pre-disaster mitigation effort to identify potential projects that can be pursued to provide measurable flood relief in the future.	Westchester NY	\$132