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May 14, 2025

The Honorable Katie Boyd Britt
Chair
Subcommittee on Homeland Security
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
S-128, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Chris Murphy
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Homeland Security
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
S-128, the Capitol
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Dear Chair Britt and Ranking Member Murphy:

As you consider the Fiscal Year 2026 (FY26) Homeland Security Appropriations bill, I respectfully request that you consider the attached requests for Congressionally Directed Spending for federal agencies. These requests will support programs that are critical to the people of New Mexico.

None of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending are for-profit entities. Further, 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 2026 Homeland Security Act, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,



Ben Ray Luján
United States Senator

**Luján, Ben Ray(D-NM) Homeland Security
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
City of Bloomfield	Water Plant Facility Security	Bloomfield NM	\$100
Alto Lakes Water and Sanitation District	Wildfire Mitigation Water Infrastructure Project	Lincoln County NM	\$2,800
Lincoln County	High Water Rescue Vehicle	Lincoln County NM	\$371
Lincoln County	Operation Ready Power	Lincoln County NM	\$330
Lincoln County	Sierra Blanca Regional First Responder Training Center	Lincoln County NM	\$3,000
Luna County	Columbus Land Port of Entry Diversion Berm	Luna County NM	\$10,500
Roosevelt County	Emergency Siren Warning System Upgrades	Roosevelt County NM	\$350
New Mexico Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management	Water and Power Preparedness	Statewide NM	\$1,500
New Mexico Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management	Water Gauges on Post Fire Watersheds	Statewide NM	\$1,500
New Mexico Highlands University	New Mexico Reforestation Center Seed Collection Operations	Statewide NM	\$973