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April 15, 2026

The Honorable Bill Hagerty
Chair
Subcommittee on Financial Services and
General Government
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
S-128, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Jack Reed
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Financial Services and
General Government
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
S-128, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chair Hagerty and Ranking Member Reed:

As you consider the Fiscal Year 2027 (FY27) Financial Services and General Government 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 2027 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations 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) Financial Services and General Government
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
City of Albuquerque - Economic Development Department (EDD)	To provide small business technical assistance through the City of Albuquerque.	Albuquerque NM	\$400
DreamSpring	To support small business education for DreamSpring.	Albuquerque NM	\$400
Women's Economic Self-Sufficiency Team	To build New Mexico's healthcare entrepreneurship pipeline.	Las Cruces NM	\$127
New Mexico Trade Alliance	To fund a workforce hub for New Mexico Highlands University and the New Mexico Trade Alliance.	Las Vegas NM	\$1,200
Santa Fe Community College/New Mexico Small Business Development Center	To support the Small Business Development Center at Navajo Technical University (NTU).	Northwestern New Mexico and Navajo Nation NM	\$654
Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Police	To fund the Pueblo of Isleta Tribal Police.	Pueblo of Isleta NM	\$1,250
New Mexico Department of Public Safety	To fund the New Mexico Department of Public Safety.	Santa Fe NM	\$1,157
Department of Cultural Affairs - New Mexico History Museum	To preserve photo archives for the New Mexico History Museum.	Santa Fe NM	\$250
New Mexico Department of Cultural Affairs - Museum of International Folk Art	To achieve digital exhibits for the Bartlett Library.	Santa Fe NM	\$500
Rural New Mexico Women's Entrepreneurial Capacity Building Project	To support in-person training series designed to reach rural entrepreneurs in the state.	Statewide NM	\$250
Emergency Services Outreach, Inc	To deliver business counseling program for first responders, healthcare workers, and veterans.	Torrance County NM	\$75