FY2023 Congressionally Designated Spending Dollars in the FY2023 Government Funding Bill
Shenandoah Valley

U.S. Senators Mark R. Warner and Tim Kaine

- **The Senators successfully secured $3,000,000** for the Virginia Department of Transportation's completion of Phase 1 of the Shenandoah Rail Trail, a proposed multi-use trail along the Shenandoah Valley through **Warren, Shenandoah, and Rockingham Counties**.
- **The Senators successfully secured $3,000,000** for **Rockbridge County** to support the design and construction of a new raw water pump station.
- **The Senators successfully secured $2,000,000** for **Amherst County** to support the Amherst County Service Authority (ACSA) in their efforts to rehabilitate a publicly-owned interceptor wastewater sewer.
- **The Senators successfully secured $1,500,000** for the Valley Health System in **Winchester** to purchase telehealth equipment to facilitate access to care in rural and underserved service areas of the community as well as constructing and renovating a 2,500 square foot Federally Qualified Health Center, which will allow for five treatment areas for behavioral health services. Additionally, funding will be used to renovate existing space to increase access to behavioral health services.
- **The Senators successfully secured $1,130,000** to support the Piedmont Housing Alliance's construction of 121 new affordable apartments in **Albemarle County**, which are part of the first phase of the Southwood Apartments redevelopment.
- **The Senators successfully secured $1,000,000** for the **City of Harrisonburg** to be used for the design and construction of a raw water and potable water transmission project that will move water from the City of Harrisonburg's Dry River Intake to the Grand View Drive Water Treatment Plant.
- **The Senators successfully secured $921,000** for Shenandoah University in **Winchester** to establish a new Master of Science in Clinical Mental Health Counseling to address the shortage of qualified mental health professionals in rural parts of the Commonwealth.
The Senators successfully secured $625,000 to support the Piedmont Housing Alliance's construction of Friendship Court Early Learning Center to serve residents of a low-income community in **Charlottesville**.

- **The Senators successfully secured $500,000** for **Albemarle County** to aid Virginia Supportive Housing in their efforts to provide affordable housing and support services to homeless and low-income individuals at Premier Circle Permanent Supportive Housing.
- **The Senators successfully secured $500,000** for the Harrisonburg Redevelopment and Housing Authority in their efforts to provide permanent supportive housing at the Commerce Village Annex Permanent Supportive Housing for the elderly, veterans, and persons with disabilities or serious mental illness with low income in **Harrisonburg**.
- **The Senators successfully secured $500,000** for the Valley Health System (VHS) to develop a Health Professionals Training Program in **Winchester**. VHS will work with secondary educational institutions to build graduate counseling programming and develop the professionals required to close the care gap and prepare for the growing need within rural and underserved communities.
- **The Senators successfully secured $255,000** for the **Town of Goshen** to purchase property to be renovated into a multi-use community center that will provide services including medical and dental services, a food pantry, social activities, legal services, a remote learning center, and an exercise space, among other community services.
- **The Senators successfully secured $230,000** to aid the University of Virginia in **Charlottesville** in their efforts to grow and strengthen Virginia's technology workforce by increasing access to UVA's Cloud Computing certificate for underrepresented students.
- **The Senators successfully secured $75,000** to aid the Rockbridge Area Transport System in their purchase of a stretcher van to provide non-emergent medical transport/stretcher transport services in **Rockbridge, Alleghany, and Augusta Counties**.