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# United States Senate

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The Honorable Bill Hagerty  
Chairman  
Subcommittee on Financial Services  
And General Government  
Committee on Appropriations  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jack Reed  
Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Financial Services  
and General Government  
Committee on Appropriations  
United States Senate  
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Dear Chair Hagerty and Ranking Member Reed:

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 Financial Services and General Government is 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.

Sincerely,



Tim Kaine

**Kaine, Tim(D-VA) Financial Services and General Government  
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

<b>Recipient Name</b>	<b>Project Purpose</b>	<b>Project Location</b>	<b>Amount Requested (\$000)</b>
The Advancement Foundation	To fund a business accelerator in Virginia's underserved-rural communities focused on training, immersive practicums, leveraging higher education, business space and technologies.	Buena Vista VA	\$943
City of Roanoke	Funding for Project RBE will provide specialized biotech equipment to lower the barrier of entry for small businesses within Roanoke's health and life sciences sector.	City of Roanoke VA	\$1,000
Northern Virginia Black Chamber of Commerce	To empower aspiring entrepreneurs and displaced federal employees by providing comprehensive training, essential resources, and ongoing support necessary to successfully launch, grow, and sustain viable businesses.	Fairfax VA	\$500
Virginia Alliance for Business, Commerce and Communities Foundation	To equip Virginia's small businesses and entrepreneurs with resources like capital readiness, financial literacy, and technical assistance to drive growth and success.	Fredericksburg VA	\$350
America's Routes	Funding will be used to help the Piedmont Historical Association and America's Routes to transcribe historical documents indicating the planning decisions behind the road and bridge infrastructure in Loudoun County.	Loudoun County VA	\$158
Greater Peninsula C.A.R.E.S. Foundation, Inc.	To support the launch of a Business Incubator focused on growing the capacity of small businesses in underserved communities on the Virginia Peninsula.	Newport News VA	\$1,250
Old Dominion University	The purpose of FED Lab is to support small businesses in Hampton Roads navigate the contracting process on federal projects local to the region.	Norfolk City VA	\$1,000
Friend of Virginia Central State Hospital	Funding will be used to digitize archival records, photographs, and slides of Virginia Central State Hospital to support preservation efforts.	Petersburg City VA	\$251
Partnership Development Foundation	To expand access to capital and technical assistance for small businesses in a historically underserved community.	Statewide/Multiple Locations VA	\$175
Youth Popular Culture Institute, Inc. (YPCI)	Funding to support YPCI's Faces 4 Change Drug-Free Community Coalition in utilizing emerging technologies for implementing evidence-based substance use prevention programming with Boys' and Girls' Club youth in Harrisonburg/ Rockingham County.	Statewide/Multiple Locations VA	\$176
Retail Alliance Foundation	The Hampton Roads Retail Catalyst provides education, technical assistance, and capital access to low-to-moderate income retail entrepreneurs across Virginia, fostering small business growth and job creation.	Statewide/Multiple Locations VA	\$228
National Veterans Small Business Coalition - Education Foundation	Funding will expand and broaden the NVSBC-EF's community economic development programs, knitting regional Veteran business owner ecosystems together, while leveraging the aid and involvement of large service provider supporters.	Statewide/Multiple Locations VA	\$1,000
Virginia Minority Chambers, Inc.	To equip underserved Virginians with small business readiness tools that drive job creation, business growth, and community revitalization.	Statewide/Multiple Locations VA	\$900