

## **Congressionally Directed Spending in FY2026 Government Funding Bill**

### ***Statewide***



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

The senators successfully secured:

- **\$900,000** for Virginia Commemorations, Inc. to educate students on America's founding ahead of the country's 250th anniversary.
- **\$430,000** for Virginia Commonwealth University to partner with the Northern Virginia Technology Council (NVTC) to establish a pilot program to support NVTC small businesses to design summer internships that prepare low-income college students for careers.
- **\$372,000** for the Virginia Telemental Health Initiative to provide telemental health counseling at no cost to patients.
- **\$354,000** for the Bay Consortium Workforce Development Board to improve digital learning and literacy.
- **\$342,000** for the Virginia Community Healthcare Association to improve health outcomes for Virginians by providing nutrition education and provider training.