

FY2023 Congressionally Designated Spending Dollars in the Senate Appropriations Bill

Hampton Roads



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

- **The Senators successfully secured \$30,000,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Norfolk** to support the Craney Island Eastward Expansion, which will provide for an additional 522 acres of dredged material storage cells, extending the life of the existing Craney Island Dredged Material Management Area by 11 years. This project will also create land for a new port facility adjacent to the Norfolk Harbor Channel.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$10,696,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Norfolk** to complete additional necessary operations and maintenance along the James River Channel.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$10,500,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Joint Base Langley-Eustis' AFRC Intelligence Group Facility**. This funding will support the facility so that it can accommodate the AFRC Intelligence Group and three Squadrons. Facility requirements include space for briefing, classroom & training, administration, storage, and customer service.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$5,000,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Chesapeake** to conduct Preconstruction Engineering and Design (PED) activities for replacement of the North Landing Bridge.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$3,000,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for the **City of Portsmouth** to conduct public safety communications upgrades. Specifically, the funding will help procure an updated series of land mobile radios (LMR) to efficiently conduct operational communications and increase emergency response capabilities.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$2,300,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Norfolk** to support construction planning & design for a Child Development Center facility at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$2,240,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Norfolk** to purchase paratransit vehicles for Hampton Roads Transit to better serve riders with disabilities.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$1,600,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Norfolk's** Ballentine Place Water and Sewer Replacement project, which will replace approximately 2,500 linear feet of gravity sewer main, associated manholes, cleanouts, and public laterals in the right-of-way in the Ballentine Place community of Norfolk, Virginia..
- **The Senators successfully secured \$1,200,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Naval Air Station Oceana** for the construction planning & design of a Child Development Center facility.

- **The Senators successfully secured \$1,200,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Newport News** to complete the Newport News Transportation Center, a multimodal facility, serving intercity rail, pedestrians, bicycles, airport shuttles, Hampton Roads Transit buses, and long-distance bus carriers.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$1,000,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Chesapeake** to support the Chesapeake Regional Healthcare Inpatient Behavioral Health Program at Chesapeake Regional Healthcare. Specifically, the funding will help establish a 20-bed acute, inpatient psychiatric unit in the City of Chesapeake at Chesapeake Regional Medical Center.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$1,000,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Norfolk** to support the Cybersecurity Center for Offshore Wind Energy at Old Dominion University. The funding will be used to establish a Center for Offshore Wind Energy Cyber Vulnerabilities and Threat Identification at Old Dominion University (ODU).
- **The Senators successfully secured \$650,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for the **City of Newport News**' Mobile Health Care Unit and Telemedicine Initiative. The funding will help start up and operate a mobile healthcare clinic unit operated by a Medical Nurse Practitioner and a Community Paramedic in underserved communities.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$643,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Suffolk** to support the Maritime Skilled Trades Alignment Project (MSTAP) at Old Dominion University. Specifically, the funding will be used to a training program focused on curricula standards aligned with public/private maritime skilled trades requirements.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$500,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Williamsburg** to support Pilot Phase Activities at William and Mary Data Science Innovation Hub. Specifically, the funding will help develop a multi-purpose data science innovation hub in Williamsburg, focused on intelligence, security, and resilience applications.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$375,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for the towns of **Lebanon, Keeling, Bumpass, and Palmyra**. The funding will support the Virginia Community Telehealth Access Network Pilot Program at the Virginia Hospital & Healthcare Association Foundation, which seeks to create a network of telehealth pods located next to U.S. Post Offices, providing clinical care in rural communities that lack adequate broadband and proximity to medical providers.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$300,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Tangier Island**' Beneficial Use Pilot Project. Specifically, the funding will be used to leverage the use of navigational dredged material from a number of authorized Federal navigation projects near Tangier Island to establish a cooperative initiative to address the loss of habitat and eroding shoreline, as well as the impacts of sea level rise, recurrent coastal flooding, and coastal storms.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$200,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Hampton** to create a permanent artificial island for migratory seabirds in Hampton Roads through the Army Corps of Engineers' Beneficial Use of Dredged Material program.
- **The Senators successfully secured \$15,000** in the Senate appropriations bill for **Chesapeake** to support the Girl Scouts of the Colonial Coast's SmartFlower Solar Installation and Renewable Energy Programming. Specifically, the funding will be used to purchase and install a fully integrated, all-in-one solar system. This system would have the aim of teaching Girl Scouts about solar power and promote future STEM careers in renewable energy.