

April 15, 2026

The Honorable Lisa Murkowski
Chair
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Jeff Merkley
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies
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Dear Chair Murkowski and Ranking Member Merkley:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2027 Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill, 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,



Sheldon Whitehouse
United States Senator

**Whitehouse, Sheldon(D-RI) Interior and Environment
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Town of Charlestown	Town of Charlestown for onsite wastewater infrastructure upgrades	Charlestown RI	\$700
Town of Coventry	Town of Coventry for wastewater infrastructure extension	Coventry RI	\$1,954
Town of Cumberland	Town of Cumberland for water main replacement	Cumberland RI	\$1,800
Town of East Greenwich	Town of East Greenwich for wastewater treatment system upgrades.	East Greenwich RI	\$1,958
City of East Providence	City of East Providence for Wastewater Treatment Control Facility Tank Rehabilitation	East Providence RI	\$5,000
City of East Providence	City of East Providence for Compost Facility	East Providence RI	\$2,500
City of East Providence	City of East Providence for Stormwater Upgrades	East Providence RI	\$5,000
Town of Hopkinton	Town of Hopkinton for water main replacement	Hope Valley RI	\$560
Blackstone River Watershed Council/Friends of the Blackstone	Blackstone River Watershed Council/Friends of the Blackstone for river cleanup activities	Lincoln RI	\$100
Town of Middletown	Town of Middletown for Sewer System Reconfiguration	Middletown RI	\$5,700
Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management	Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management for Preservation Activities at Fort Adams	Newport RI	\$450
Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management	Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management for Archives at Fort Adams	Newport RI	\$335
City of Newport	City of Newport for wastewater and sewer system rehabilitation	Newport RI	\$10,000
City of Pawtucket	City of Pawtucket for wastewater pump station upgrades	Pawtucket RI	\$7,500
City of Pawtucket	City of Pawtucket for stormwater improvements	Pawtucket RI	\$5,500
City of Pawtucket	City of Pawtucket for Watercolor Society Building improvements	Pawtucket RI	\$2,000
City of Pawtucket	City of Pawtucket for document archive	Pawtucket RI	\$500
Woonasquatucket River Watershed Council	Woonasquatucket River Watershed Council for Atlantic Mills Dam project for ecological restoration	Providence RI	\$3,000
Providence Water	Providence Water for Lead Service Line Replacement	Providence RI	\$2,000
Narragansett Bay Commission	Narragansett Bay Commission for dewatering facility	Providence RI	\$2,500
Narragansett Bay Commission	Narragansett Bay Commission for Reservoir Avenue pump station	Providence RI	\$3,125
Narragansett Bay Commission	Narragansett Bay Commission for sewer upgrades	Providence RI	\$35
Narragansett Bay Commission	Narragansett Bay Commission for wastewater disinfection study	Providence RI	\$100

Providence Water	Providence Water for security upgrades	Scituate RI	\$1,100
Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management	Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management for a statewide lake management program	Statewide RI	\$250
Town of Warren	Town of Warren for Landfill Remediation	Warren RI	\$3,900
City of Warwick	City of Warwick for Water Main Replacement	Warwick RI	\$6,000
City of Warwick	City of Warwick for Municipal Recycling Transfer Station	Warwick RI	\$2,255
Community College of Rhode Island	for Knight Estate greenhouse restoration	Warwick RI	\$1,630
The Nature Conservancy, Rhode Island Chapter	The Nature Conservancy, Rhode Island Chapter for Hudson Pond Dam removal to restore aquatic habitat	West Greenwich RI	\$750
Town of Westerly	Town of Westerly for installation of a PFAS filtration system	Westerly RI	\$4,000
Town of Westerly	Town of Westerly for lead line replacement	Westerly RI	\$4,000
Town of Westerly	Town of Westerly for new drinking water pipes	Westerly RI	\$5,200
Town of Westerly	Town of Westerly for a new wellfield	Westerly RI	\$2,400
Narragansett Bay Commission	Narragansett Bay Commission for biosolids incinerator improvements	Woonsocket RI	\$5,000
Narragansett Bay Commission	Narragansett Bay Commission for wastewater treatment facility upgrades	Woonsocket RI	\$5,000