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The Honorable Kyrsten Sinema
Chairwoman
Senate Committee on Appropriations
Subcommittee Military Construction,
Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies
317 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable John Boozman
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on Appropriations
Subcommittee Military Construction
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555 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairwoman Sinema and Ranking Member Boozman,

Thank you for the opportunity to submit congressionally directed spending requests to the Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations Subcommittee for Fiscal Year 2025 (FY25). I have focused these requests on programs of particular significance to my home state of Maryland. None of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending are for-profit entities.

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 FY25 Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

I appreciate your careful consideration of these important requests.

Sincerely,



Benjamin L. Cardin
United States Senator