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The Honorable John Boozman Chair Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies U.S. Senate Appropriations Committee Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jon Ossoff Ranking Member Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies U.S. Senate Appropriations Committee Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chair Boozman and Ranking Member Ossoff,

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 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.

As requested by the Subcommittee, none of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending are for-profit entities.

I sincerely appreciate your consideration of these requests. Should your staff have questions regarding these requests, they may contact my staff at Nancy_Teutle@gallego.senate.gov.

Sincerely,

Ruben Gallego

United States Senator

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Gallego, Ruben(D-AZ) Military Construction and VA Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Camp Navajo	Camp Navajo Bridge This would provide planning and design funds to replace an existing 80-year old bridge at Camp Navajo in Northern Arizona.	Bellemont AZ	\$4,000
Luke Air Force Base (Gila Bend Auxiliary Airfield)	Gila Bend Air Force Auxiliary Field North Turnaround - This project will provide the resources necessary to improve the turnaround area, improving safety and reducing risk to aircraft.	Gila Bend AZ	\$5,000
Luke Air Force Base	Luke Air Force Base Child Development Center – This project will construct a new facility capable of serving 250-300 children of servicemembers stationed at Luke AFB. The current Center at Luke AFB is aging and unable to serve the current needs of servicemembers and their families.	Glendale AZ	\$27,000
944th Fighter Wing (USAF Reserve Command)	Luke Air Force Base Admin and Storage Building – This project enables planning and design to expand the 944th fighter wing's current administrative building to meet current and future needs at Luke Air Force Base.	Glendale AZ	\$400
Goldwater Air National Guard Base	Goldwater Air National Guard Base Ramp Expansion – This project will construct an adequately sized and properly configured aircraft parking apron to support KC-135 mission and training operations.	Phoenix AZ	\$5,040
Arizona Army National Guard	Arizona Army National Guard Readiness Center - This project will begin the planning and design for a readiness center in Queen Creek, AZ to support five units of the Arizona Army National Guard.	Queen Creek AZ	\$6,300
Fort Huachuca	Fort Huachuca Libby Army Airfield Control Tower – This project enables planning and design to replace the Libby Army Airfield Flight Control Tower. The current tower is 40 years old and is not capable of meeting current or future mission requirements for the airfield.	Sierra Vista AZ	\$1,500
Fort Huachuca	Fort Huachuca Gray Eagle Hangar & Facility – This project enables planning and design to construct a UAS Maintenance Instruction Building to support training for and maintenance of Gray Eagle UAS at Fort Huachuca. This project is required to support DOD's UAS training requirements.	Sierra Vista AZ	\$5,800
Fort Huachuca	Fort Huachuca Libby Army Airfield Fire & Rescue Station – This project will replace the fire station at Libby Army Airfield, which is a Joint Use Airfield with Fort Huachuca and the City of Sierra Vista.	Sierra Vista AZ	\$14,200
Morris Air National Guard Base	Morris ANGB Main Gate Construction – This project will provide additional resources necessary for the Air Force to relocate the main gate at the Morris Air National Guard Base to address security risks and reduce traffic congestion.	Tucson AZ	\$7,000
Morris Air National Guard Base	162nd Wing Munitions Storage - This project will support planning and design of a new munitions storage complex for the 162nd Wing at Morris Air National Guard Base.	Tucson AZ	\$3,200
Morris Air National Guard Base	Morris ANGB Recruitment Facility - This project will incorporate an Air National Guard Recruiter Office in the completion of the ANGB Main Entry Complex currently under construction.	Tucson AZ	\$3,000
Marine Corps Air Station Yuma	MCAS Yuma Water Treatment Plant – This project will support the construction of a new water treatment plant to serve Marine Corps Air Station Yuma. The current water treatment plant was built in 1947 and is in dire need of replacement to guarantee water quality for Marines and their families.	Yuma AZ	\$261,000
Yuma Proving Ground	Yuma Proving Ground Pole Line Road – This project will enable planning and design for a replacement for Pole Line Road, an interior test road within the Yuma Test Center at Yuma Proving Ground. The current road is damaged and poses a risk to personnel safety and mission success.	Yuma AZ	\$990

Marine Corps Air Station Yuma	MCAS Yuma UDP Transient Barracks – This project will initiate a barracks upgrade project for Unit Deployed Personnel at Marine Corps Air Station Yuma. The current barracks are outdated, and the water, wastewater, and air conditioning systems all need upgrades.	Yuma AZ	\$3,800
Yuma Proving Ground	Yuma Proving Ground Radar Operations & Maintenance Facility – This project would construct a 10,000 square foot Radar Operations and Maintenance facility to sustain and maintain highly complex radar systems that are critical to current and future Army testing missions at Yuma Proving Ground.	Yuma AZ	\$8,700
Marine Corps Air Station Yuma	MCAS Yuma BEQ Barracks - This project will construct a new Bachelor Enlisted Quarters (BEQ) for enlisted personnel, replacing an outdated facility.	Yuma AZ	\$3,000