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The Honorable Dianne Feinstein
Chair
Subcommittee on Energy and Water
Development
Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
Room S-128, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable John Kennedy
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Energy and Water
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Dear Chair Feinstein and Ranking Member Kennedy:

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 2023 Energy and Water Development appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,



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Heinrich, Martin(D-NM) Energy and Water Development Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Albuquerque Housing Authority	The Albuquerque Housing Authority (AHA) will electrify two proposed rehabilitation projects of existing public housing, including energy efficient improvements to lighting, heat pump systems, hot water heaters, and appliances.	Albuquerque NM	\$1,700
University of New Mexico	The University of New Mexico will gather data and produce a report to help the state establish transparent auditing mechanisms and standardized methane emissions measurement protocols. Funds will be spent on one-time labor costs, travel, supplies, equipment, and IoT development.	Albuquerque NM	\$625
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	The Middle Rio Grande Endangered Species Collaborative Program will provide scientific, conservation, and educational services to support endangered species recovery activities in the Middle Rio Grande Basin.	Bernalillo County NM	\$2,000
Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will design and construct irrigation infrastructure that is part of acequia projects in New Mexico.	Bernalillo, Socorro, and Rio Arriba Counties NM	\$10,500
City of Aztec	The City of Aztec will purchase and construct a second electrical substation to provide a second access point to the national electric grid. This would fund a portion of Phase 1 of a resiliency, redundancy, and efficiency project designed to connect directly to Aztec's active 1MW solar field. Phase 2 would establish a second 1MW solar field and tie-in for the city's grid.	City of Aztec NM	\$6,400
Institute of American Indian Arts	The Institute of American Indian Arts will expand its solar energy generating capacity.	City of Sante Fe NM	\$500
Bureau of Reclamation	Provide reliable domestic water to communities in eastern New Mexico and Cannon Air Force Base.	Clovis (including Cannon Air Force Base and portions of Curry County), Portales (including portions of Roosevelt County), Texico and Elida NM	\$30,000
New Mexico State University	New Mexico State University will conduct an agrivoltaics research program to quantify the benefits at the congruence between renewable energy and agriculture, such as the generation of energy to run farm operations, reducing the carbon footprint of agriculture, improving water use efficiency, and increasing crop yields.	Dona Ana County NM	\$844
New Mexico State University	New Mexico State University will create a Critical Electricity Infrastructure CyberSecurity Center.	Doña Ana County NM	\$1,000
City of Las Cruces	The City of Las Cruces will address thermal safety and heating/cooling affordability for low- and moderate-income (LMI) households through weatherization and electrification retrofits.	Las Cruces NM	\$500
New Mexico State University	New Mexico State University will develop a multiuser testbed facility with a Solid-State Transformer Digital Substation for commercialization and tech-to-market transfer, serving as a catalyst for research and manufacturing in power electronics for New Mexico and the United States.	Las Cruces NM	\$1,600
Northern New Mexico College	Optimize energy management by harmonizing heating and cooling loads with renewable energy generation in a residential setting.	Rio Arriba NM	\$360

Army Corps of Engineers (Civil)	The Corps of Engineers will construct water infrastructure projects in communities around New Mexico.	Rodarte, Tucumcari, Santa Fe, Rio Rancho and Sandoval County NM	\$8,000
City of Truth or Consequences Electric	The City of Truth or Consequences will improve its electrical grid through numerous grid equipment replacements that are aging and in need of replacement. These include a substation transformer replacement, pole and conductor replacement, substation primary underground feeder wire replacement, and voltage regulator replacements.	Truth or Consequences NM	\$2,694
City of Santa Fe	The City of Santa Fe will replace natural gas furnaces, heat pumps, and stoves with electric alternatives in 40 existing residences of those earning less than 80% area median income.	United States NM	\$250
Partnership for Community Action (PCA)	The Partnership for Community Action will install a solar energy system at the South Valley Social Enterprise Center (SEC), a community-led economic development campus that includes production/manufacturing jobs, professional development, social entrepreneurship training, and early childhood through college educational support initiatives.	United States NM	\$50