

# United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

April 20, 2026

The Honorable Cindy Hyde-Smith  
Chair  
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing  
and  
Urban Development, and Related Agencies  
U.S. Committee on Appropriations  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Kirsten Gillibrand  
Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing  
and  
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Dear Chair Hyde-Smith and Ranking Member Gillibrand:

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 2027 Transportation, Housing, and Urban Development, and Related Agencies 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.

Thank you again for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Peter Welch". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "P" and "W".

PETER WELCH  
United States Senator

**Welch, Peter(D-VT) Transportation Housing and Urban Development  
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

<b>Recipient Name</b>	<b>Project Purpose</b>	<b>Project Location</b>	<b>Amount Requested (\$000)</b>
Intervale Center, Inc.	Funding will be used to acquire property for a community food center.	Burlington VT	\$3,000
Plainfield Community Development Corporation	With this funding, the Plainfield Community Development Corporation will install infrastructure and build new homes.	Plainfield VT	\$500
Vermont Farmers Market Education Center Inc. dba Vermont Farmers Food Center	Funding will support blight remediation.	Rutland City VT	\$1,500
Leahy Burlington International Airport	Funding will be used to purchase Jet Bridges.	South Burlington VT	\$7,500
Vermont Housing & Conservation Board	With this funding, the Vermont Housing & Conservation Board will support the development of service-supported housing for Vermonters with intellectual and development disabilities.	Statewide VT	\$5,000
Vermont Housing & Conservation Board	With this funding, the Vermont Housing & Conservation Board will repurpose closed school buildings.	Statewide VT	\$3,000
Vermont State Housing Authority	Funding will support housing construction.	Statewide VT	\$2,000
Green Mountain Habitat for Humanity	Funding will support housing construction.	Statewide – Swanton and Colchester VT	\$3,000
City of Vergennes	The funding will support housing construction.	Vergennes VT	\$3,000
Generations Vermont Intergenerational Services Inc.	Funding will support construction of a care facility for children, seniors, and adults with disabilities.	Washington County VT	\$1,000
Vermont Agency of Transportation	Funding will support the construction of the Winooski River Bridge.	Winooski VT	\$7,150