

United States Senate

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The Honorable Patty Murray
Chair
US Senate Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Susan Collins
Vice Chair
US Senate Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Patty Murray
Chair
Subcommittee on Military Construction,
Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies
125 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

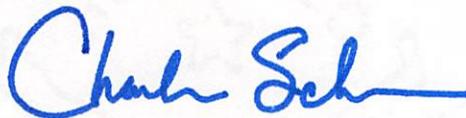
The Honorable John Boozman
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Military Construction,
Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies
125 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chair Murray, Vice Chair Collins, and Ranking Member Boozman,

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 2024 Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill consistent with the requirement of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,



Charles E. Schumer
United States Senator

**Schumer, Charles(D-NY) Military Construction and VA
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Fort Drum	Construct a Physical Fitness Testing Facility Field House/Soldiers Performance Readiness Center (SPRC) Facilities in support of testing the Army Combat Fitness Test (ACFT) and developing physically fit soldiers.	Fort Drum (Jefferson County) NY	\$57,000
Fort Drum	Fort Drum is a Regional Collective Training Center to roughly 25,000 soldiers each year, including during annual training exercises. As Fort Drum renovates other barracks, additional funding is needed to house transient units when they come to Fort Drum for training.	Fort Drum (Jefferson County) NY	\$55,000
Fort Drum	Fort Drum is located in Zone VII (Arctic weather), meaning that aircraft must be protected during inclement weather. The unit that occupies hangar 2072 is short 72% of the needed space. Adding additional space will improve aircraft maintenance and storage needs.	Fort Drum (Jefferson County) NY	\$81,000
Fort Drum	In order for Fort Drum to meet the training requirements for the Next Generation Squad Weapon (NGSW) system, a new Army standard design Automated Record Fire (ARF) Range is required to be constructed. This requirement will be met by modifying an existing range.	Fort Drum (Jefferson County) NY	\$23,000
Lexington Avenue Armory	This project is critical to the State of New York/New York Army National Guard and in the best interest of the taxpayer because the historic Readiness Center built in 1904 does not meet current Army readiness standards.	New York (New York County) NY	\$90,000