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Subcommittee Chair Bill Hagerty
Subcommittee on Financial Services and
General Government
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Subcommittee Ranking Member Jack Reed
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Dear Chair Hagerty and Ranking Member Reed,

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 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations 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.

Sincerely,



Charles E. Schumer
United States Senator

**Schumer, Charles(D-NY) Financial Services and General Government
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

| Recipient Name | Project Purpose | Project Location | Amount Requested (\$000) |
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| HUB-Third Avenue Merchants District Management Association, Inc. dba HUB Third Avenue Business Improvement District | Commercial revitalization through small business support and storefront activations for the Third Avenue Business Improvement District aka "The Hub". | Bronx NY | \$1,083 |
| The Roosevelt Institute | Digital preservation that ensures future access for the American people to 500,000-750,000 pages of essential records documenting the Roosevelt presidency and the most pivotal moments of the 20th century. | Dutchess NY | \$1,214 |
| Buffalo Urban League, Inc. | The requested funds will support Buffalo Urban League's role in providing technical assistance, entrepreneurial training, and business support services to small businesses in Buffalo. | Erie NY | \$2,500 |
| Launch New York, Inc | Launch NY will scale up its venture development organization to increase delivery of pro bono mentoring and financing programs for high-growth potential small businesses and startups across Upstate NY communities. | Erie NY | \$2,500 |
| Bridge Street Development Corporation | Bridge Street will use the requested funding to support the growth of small businesses in Central Brooklyn through direct technical assistance, organizing workshops and learning events, and implementing innovative place-making initiatives. | Kings NY | \$446 |
| Margaret Woodbury Strong Museum (DBA The Strong) | The Strong seeks funding to digitize one of its at-risk archival collections. | Monroe NY | \$324 |
| Hofstra University | Digitizing the Long Island Studies Institute's historical documents would provide the public with new opportunities to learn about the rich histories of the Long Island community. | Nassau NY | \$459 |
| Jazz at Lincoln Center Inc. | Conducting oral histories for the preservation of jazz music and history to be made available to the public for online and in-person engagement. | New York NY | \$200 |
| Asian American Federation, Inc. | Delivery of digital marketing and capacity-building services to small business owners. | New York NY | \$500 |
| Yeshiva University | Requested funding to deliver customized, on-demand digital courses specifically tailored to small business owners. | New York NY | \$500 |
| An Claidheamh Soluis, Inc. DBA Irish Arts Center | This two-year project will archive and preserve the Irish Arts Center's cultural history by collecting and protecting archival documents, audio, and visual materials to provide the Irish Diaspora increased access to primary documentation of their historic roots and evolution in NYC. | New York NY | \$1,497 |
| Visual AIDS for the Arts, Inc | Funds to sustain our Community Archivist, further digitizing our unique holdings, and building infrastructure to prepare for new acquisitions to support further public access while protecting the legacies of artists living with HIV and lost to AIDS. | New York NY | \$180 |
| Korean American Civic Empowerment for Community | Through this program, KACE provides various information, education, legal support and program development for local small business owners so that they can cope with rapidly changing economic situations, and provide various institutional and legal support they need. | Queens NY | \$500 |

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| Chamber of Commerce of the Borough of Queens Inc | The Queens Chamber of Commerce Food Innovation Hub will provide food maker space, small business programming, and entrepreneurship support to food startups and businesses in Queens. | Queens NY | \$750 |
| Staten Island Chamber of Commerce Foundation Inc. | To support the implementation and operation of the HR Services program. This funding will cover the costs of workshops, consulting services, AI tools, job board maintenance, and employee training programs. | Richmond NY | \$500 |