

Congressionally Directed Spending in FY2025 Government Funding Bill

Central Virginia



U.S. Senators Mark R. Warner and Tim Kaine

- The Senators successfully secured **\$1,695,000** for **Prince Edward County** to replace their legacy ultra high frequency (UHF) radio system, providing all first responders with critical communications equipment that will improve emergency response times.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$1,500,000** for Feed More to construct a new, state-of-the-art facility in Henrico to support over 200,000 low- and moderate-income families experiencing food insecurity throughout 29 counties and the cities of Richmond, Colonial Heights, Hopewell, Petersburg, and Emporia in **Central and Southside Virginia**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$1,250,000** for the **City of Charlottesville** for a project to replace a defunct commercial building with a mixed-use development that includes 71 affordable apartments for low- and moderate-income seniors, people with disabilities, and families.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$1,074,000** for the Greater Charlottesville Habitat for Humanity to help with the construction of 11 affordable rental units to prevent displacement of low-income mobile home residents in **Albemarle County**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$1,000,000** for a segment of the Fall Line Trail. The segment is a 2.1-mile regional trail project that improves multimodal transportation, encourages tourism, and better connects the **City of Richmond and Chesterfield County**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$880,000** for the Rivanna Water and Sewer Authority to replace deteriorated equipment at the South Rivanna Water Plant to provide clean and safe drinking water for the **City of Charlottesville and Albemarle County**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$750,000** for the Health Brigade to support buildings repairs and upgrades to its **Richmond** center.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$640,000** for NextUp RVA to develop community-driven solutions to address barriers to out-of-school time programs for youth and families in order to improve school attendance and youth mental health and help reduce gun violence in **Richmond**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$500,000** for the Daily Planet Health Services to support construction of a new site to provide health care services in **Richmond**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$500,000** for the Maggie Walker Community Land Trust to create permanently affordable homeownership opportunities in **Richmond**. Funding will be used to acquire land and construct 24 affordable housing units in partnership with four local nonprofit housing developers.

- The Senators successfully secured **\$500,000** for Virginia Supportive Housing’s project to build 82 high-quality, safe, and affordable housing units with on-site supportive services for individuals experiencing or at risk of homelessness in **Richmond**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$338,000** for the **Town of Crewe** to repair and renovate a community center.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$314,000** for Brightpoint Community College to address health care workforce shortages through expanded laboratory training capacity in **Chesterfield County**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$200,000** for ReadyKids, Inc. to expand access to youth mental health counseling in **Charlottesville**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$149,000** for the Friends of Virginia Central State Hospital in **Petersburg** to digitally preserve records of the hospital to increase public awareness, access, and analysis of the endangered digital archives from the first mental hospital for African Americans in the United States, circa 1868 –1968.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$61,000** for the Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Virginia to increase youth participation in out-of-school programs in the **City of Charlottesville and Albemarle County**.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$40,000** for the **City of Colonial Heights** to upgrade Police Department computers to improve investigation efficiency by helping detectives review digital evidence both in the office and in the field.
- The Senators successfully secured **\$28,000** for **Greene County** to replace all expired automated external defibrillators (AEDs) in its fleet of law enforcement patrol cars.