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The Honorable Bill Hagerty Chair Appropriations Subcommittee Financial Services and General Government 251 Russell Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510 The Honorable Jack Reed Ranking Member Appropriations Subcommittee Financial Services and General Government 728 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Chair Hagerty and Ranking Member Reed,

In accordance with Senate Rule XLIV, 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,

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Tammy Duckworth United States Senator

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## Duckworth, Tammy(D-IL) Financial Services and General Government Congressionally Directed Spending Requests

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Chicago's Sunshine Enterprises, Inc.	This project will help fund programming support for Sunshine Enterprises, an organization dedicated to empowering entrepreneurs in Chicago's historically underserved communities.	Chicago IL	\$550
The Growing Season	This funding will support the mission of The Growing Season and The Aux in empowering entrepreneurs from underserved communities in Chicago in gaining access to small business opportunities.	Evanston IL	\$750