

Minimum Antiterrorism for Buildings standards will be provided. Access for individuals with disabilities will be available. Comprehensive building and furnishings related interior design services are required.

Requesting Member: Congressman ED WHITFIELD

Bill Number: H.R. 2647, the National Defense Authorization Act of Fiscal Year 2010

Account: Army

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Ft. Campbell, KY

Address of Requesting Entity: Fort Campbell, 39 Normandy Ave, Ft. Campbell, KY 42223

Description of Request: The money (\$14,400.00) will be used to construct a 1,200-seat (32,900 SF) chapel/family life multi-purpose facility which includes a worship center, activity/fellowship center, chaplain family life and pastoral care center, resource center, multimedia center, multi-purpose education classrooms, kitchen, storage areas, restrooms, and circulation area.

Requesting Member: Congressman ED WHITFIELD

Bill Number: Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act

Account: STAG Water and Wastewater Infrastructure Project

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: City of Tompkinsville

Address of Requesting Entity: 206 North Magnolia Street, Tompkinsville, KY 42167

Description of Request: The Project will install a backwash lagoon at the Tompkinsville Water Treatment Plant. The existing lagoons are undersized and do not provide enough detention time for the solids to settle out. These funds will help the citizens of Tompkinsville abide by the environmental requirements of the Kentucky Division of Water. The amount the City will be receiving is \$189,000 and will serve over 2500 households in the town protecting citizens' health, the environment, and allowing for community growth.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. RODNEY P. FRELINGHUYSEN

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 23, 2009

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as a part of H.R. 2892, the Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act of 2010.

Title III: Protection, Preparedness, Response, and Recovery

The 11th Congressional District was directly impacted by the events of 9/11 and it is critical to continue to make direct investments to improve first responder and law enforcement communications and for like technology and equipment upgrades.

Bill Number: H.R. 2892

Account: Federal Emergency Management Agency, Emergency Operations Centers

Legal Name of Entity: Morris County, New Jersey Office of Emergency Management

Address of Requesting Entity: P.O. Box 900, Morristown, New Jersey 07960

Funding Level: \$1,000,000

Description of Request: It is my understanding that the funding will be used to design and construct a state-of-the-art, environmentally sound, emergency operations center

to consolidate the interoperable security across the entire county.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. SAM GRAVES

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 23, 2009

Mr. GRAVES. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding an earmark I received as part of H.R. 2892, the Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2010:

Congressman SAM GRAVES (MO-6)

Department of Homeland Security, FEMA/Pre-disaster Mitigation Account—\$175,000 to the City of Maryville, MO, for Storm Siren Replacement (City of Maryville, MO, Department of Public Safety, 222 East Third Street, Maryville, MO 64468)

The federal funding I obtained for the City of Maryville in my congressional district will be used to upgrade their emergency storm siren system. The City of Maryville is the largest community in northwest Missouri, having a population of over 10,500. The community is home to Northwest Missouri State University and houses nearly all of the manufacturing industry in the region.

In recent years, Maryville has experienced a number of natural disasters, including flooding and tornadoes. The current warning system in place for the residents of the community is made up of five Civil Defense Sirens, which are extremely old and deteriorated. The city has also grown in size, which has created some "dead spots" where citizens cannot hear the warning sirens.

As such, the city will use the federal funds obtained to purchase five storm sirens. Four of the existing sirens throughout the city will be replaced, as well as one siren to be located at Mozingo Lake, a recreation and fishing destination in the region. The new sirens will be multi-directional sirens, which will double the current sound projection radius and address the community's concern with "dead spots". An up-to-date warning system is imperative to notify all the families and individuals in the region to ensure their safety.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. TOM LATHAM

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 23, 2009

Mr. LATHAM. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the new House Republican standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information.

Bill Number: H.R. 2892, the Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Project Name: Emergency Operations Center

Amount: \$600,000

Account: State and Local Programs

Recipient: City of Ames, Iowa

Recipient's Street Address: 515 Clark Avenue, Ames, IA 50010

Description: This project is a renovation of the current Emergency Operations Center in Ames, IA. It is necessary to accommodate updated incident command facility needs—in cases of both natural disasters and man-made

incidents. Local emergency operations centers are critical components in the nation's emergency network. The Ames, IA Center is particularly important as it is located in an important agricultural production region that is crucial to the nation's food supply; the Ames Emergency Operations Center is also located near the National Animal Disease Center, an important player in any agro-terrorism incident. Given the significance of the threat of agro-terrorism, it is important that this Center be as-up-to-date as possible in its operating capacity.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. JOHN ABNEY CULBERSON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 23, 2009

Mr. CULBERSON. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2892, the FY2010 Department of Homeland Security Appropriations bill:

Requesting Member: Congressman JOHN CULBERSON.

Bill Number: H.R. 2892

Account: Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Pre-disaster Mitigation account.

Legal Name and Address of Requesting Entity: Harris County Flood Control District, 99000 Northwest Freeway, Suite 220, Houston, Texas 77092.

Description of Request: Provide \$1,000,000 to the Harris County Flood Control District for the voluntary acquisition and demolition of approximately 38 homes located deep in the floodway and floodplain of the White Oak Watershed of Harris County, Texas. The Harris County Flood Control District is charged with devising the flood damage reduction plans for the county, implementing the plans, and maintaining the infrastructure covering a 1,756 square mile area.

EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES TO THE CITIZENS OF ITALY AND SUPPORT FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF ITALY IN THE AFTERMATH OF THE DEVASTATING EARTHQUAKE THAT STRUCK THE ABRUZZO REGION OF CENTRAL ITALY.

SPEECH OF

HON. PATRICK J. TIBERI

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. TIBERI. Mr. Speaker, as co-chair of the Italian-American delegation it is my pleasure to offer my support of H. Res. 430—Expressing condolences to the citizens of Italy and support for the Government of Italy in the aftermath of the devastating earthquake that struck the Abruzzo region of central Italy.

As the son of Italian immigrants from Abruzzo, I am pleased my colleagues agreed that we should stand behind Italians as they begin the process of rebuilding areas damaged by the earthquake. H. Res. 430 serves

to reaffirm the deep ties between the United States and Italy, and show the Italian people our nation's support in their time of need.

I hope the reconstruction efforts will be completed quickly so the region's cultural and artistic heritage will be restored, while homes, businesses, and schools can be rebuilt. Abruzzo is truly a beautiful region and I look forward to its revival.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. STEVE SCALISE

OF LOUISIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 23, 2009

Mr. SCALISE. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on Congressionally-directed project funding, I am submitting the following information regarding project funding I requested for Southeast Louisiana as part of the Fiscal Year 2010 Homeland Security Appropriations Act.

Requesting Member: Congressman STEVE SCALISE

Bill Number: Fiscal Year 2010 Homeland Security Appropriations Bill

Account: Federal Emergency Management Agency, State and Local Programs

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: New Orleans Emergency Medical Services

Address of Requesting Entity: 1300 Perdido Street, Suite 4W07, New Orleans, LA 70112

Description of Request: I have secured \$750,000 for the New Orleans Emergency Medical Services. The funding would be used to provide a permanent Emergency Operations Center and base of operation for the sole 9-1-1 emergency medical service provider for the city of New Orleans. Secure medication, equipment storage, and training areas are needed to better serve the citizens of New Orleans. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Requesting Member: Congressman STEVE SCALISE

Bill Number: Fiscal Year 2010 Homeland Security Appropriations Bill

Account: Federal Emergency Management Agency, State and Local Programs

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Washington Parish Government

Address of Requesting Entity: 909 Pearl Street, Franklinton, LA 70438

Description of Request: I have secured \$350,000 for the Washington Parish Government. The funding would be used to provide for an Emergency Operations/9-1-1 Multi-Agency Communications Center to coordinate electronic, telephone, satellite and radio communications between law enforcement, fire, EMS, hospitals, and Emergency Management Agencies. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. WALTER B. JONES

OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 23, 2009

Mr. JONES. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on ear-

marks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2647, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Rep. WALTER B. JONES

Project: U.S. Navy Cancer Vaccine Program
Recipient: OncBioMune, LLC, 17050 Medical Drive, 4th Floor, Baton Rouge, LA 70816
Account: Research & Development, Navy
Amount: \$4,000,000

Explanation: The U.S. Navy Cancer Vaccine Program was initiated in 2005 and was the first cancer vaccine program conducted at the Naval Health Research Center. It has received congressional appropriations beginning in FY06. Currently, U.S. military health authorities estimate that in the past year alone, \$42 million was spent on direct health care costs in the military healthcare system related to prostate cancer. Continued development of the vaccine through this project will save the lives of military personnel suffering from cancer as well as reduce health care costs in the military healthcare system.

Rep. WALTER B. JONES

Project: Radar Approach Control (RAPCON)
Complex at Seymour Johnson Air Force Base Phase 1

Recipient: Seymour Johnson Air Force Base, 1510 Wright Brothers Ave., Seymour Johnson AFB, NC 27531

Account: Military Construction, Air Force

Amount: \$6,900,000

Explanation: The existing Radar Approach Control (RAPCON) Complex and Ground to Air Transmitter/Receiver (GATR) at Seymour Johnson Air Force Base are inadequately configured for today's mission and high-tech equipment. Replacing these facilities would improve Air Force operations and safety and save money by sharply reducing the cost of maintaining the existing outdated infrastructure.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. JOE WILSON

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 23, 2009

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman JOE WILSON

Bill Number: H.R. 2647—National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Army

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: University of South Carolina

Address of Requesting Entity: 208 Osborne Building—Pendleton Street, Columbia, SC 29208

Description of Request: I have secured \$6,000,000 for the Brain Injury Recovery Clinic at the University of South Carolina. Soldiers returning home from Iraq and Afghanistan are experiencing an increased number of head injuries related to blasts and explosions compared to soldiers of previous conflicts. It is therefore important for us to understand blast injury, its pathophysiology, methods for detect-

ing traumatic brain injury, and how these soldiers can be best treated. Mechanisms of brain injury in war are unlike those of most injuries encountered in civilian life. The University of South Carolina has established a priority focus area on the study of brain injury and developed novel treatment possibilities to treat head injuries. This funding will establish a brain injury recovery clinic for returning soldiers at the University of South Carolina and study better and more efficient ways to treat blast-related head injuries. This research clinic will also provide jobs for the economically depressed Columbia, SC region. Matching funding (\$6M) from the State of South Carolina is available by housing this Brain Injury Recovery Clinic in the newly constructed Discovery 1 research building. This new research building is located in the Innovista portion of the University of South Carolina campus. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Requesting Member: Congressman JOE WILSON

Bill Number: H.R. 2647—National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: Other Procurement, Air Force
Legal Name of Requesting Entity: South Carolina Air National Guard

Address of Requesting Entity: McEntire JNGB, 1325 South Carolina Rd., Eastover, SC 29044

Description of Request: I have secured \$2,000,000 for the South Carolina Air National Guard Eagle Vision Upgrade. Eagle Vision (EV) is a USAF mobile satellite imagery collection and processing system assigned to the SC ANG that will be used as a wartime resource in the war on terrorism as well as a counter drug and Homeland Security asset in the United States. Funding would upgrade the EV system at McEntire JNGB to include a 1 meter infrared capability. Emergency planners and responders would be able to look through clouds and smoke with infrared enabling them to plan responses during an emergency instead of reacting afterward. Matching funds are not applicable. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Requesting Member: Congressman JOE WILSON

Bill Number: H.R. 2647—National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: Other Procurement, Army
Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Trenton Plastics

Address of Requesting Entity: 601 E Wise Street, Trenton, SC 29847

Description of Request: I have secured \$5,000,000 for Trenton Plastics for the High Mobility Multi-Purpose Wheeled Vehicle (HMMWV). The appropriation of \$5,000,000 for fire suppression kits (fuel tank fire suppression FIRE Panels) will be applied to existing HMMWVs and new production HMMWVs or ECV2s. The FIRE Panel product is applied to fuel tanks and mitigates the fire and secondary explosions that occur when unprotected fuel tanks are attacked by Improvised Explosive Devices, Rocket Propelled Grenades or Explosively Formed Penetrators. FIRE Panels consist of a hard, durable plastic shell (blow molded by Trenton Plastics) that are then filled with "Black Widow", a highly effective dry chemical fire suppression agent. These FIRE Panels can be formed/blow molded to fit any style of fuel tank. Insurgents, over