



Thomas E. Dernoga, District 1
FY 2025 - Special Appropriation Grants
As of June 30, 2025

Organization Name	Amount Entered when approved for processing only	Grant Purpose
Anacostia Trails Heritage Area, Inc.	\$1,000	Anacostia Trails Heritage Area, Inc. will use grant funds to support a growing event to celebrate the 3.8-mile Trolley Trail which connects Hyattsville, Riverdale Park and College Park to the DMV's regional trail network. In 2024, over 2,700 participants, 80 businesses, participated in a full day of activities.
ARAMIDE Gives	\$2,000	ARAMIDE Gives will use grant funds to provide youth with opportunities to grow, learn, and develop important skills that will shape their future. ARAMIDE Gives aims to equip the next generation with the tools needed to succeed and reach their full potential.
Beltsville Community Cats, Inc.	\$2,000	Beltsville Community Cats, Inc. will use the grant funds to spay/neuter, vaccinate, combo test and microchip abandoned house cats and to address illnesses and injuries for sick and or injured community cats.
Beltsville Seventh-day Adventist Church	\$10,000	Beltsville Seventh-day Adventist Church will use the grant funds to purchase and distribution of 550 Thanksgiving Turkey Baskets to District One Families in need.
Cherry Lane Boxing and Youth Fitness Inc.	\$4,000	Cherry Lane Boxing and Youth Fitness Inc. will use grant funds to purchase the necessary boxing equipment and cleaning supplies for participants. The funds will allow families that lack the financial capacity the ability to get their kids started in an activity.
Coalition for Public Safety Training in Schools, Inc.	\$1,000	Coalition For Public Safety Training in Schools, Inc (CPSTS) will use grant funds to educate, advocate and foster career training in schools and support workforce development for the benefit of the local community.
College Park Community Foodbank	\$1,000	College Park Community Food Bank will use grant funds to provide fresh produce and healthy nonperishable food to about 400 families once a week, for 4 weeks.
Community Legal Services of Prince George County	\$3,000	Community Legal Services of Prince George's County, Inc. will provide mobile legal services to reach under-served areas of the county lacking access to legal services. Legal matters include domestic violence, estate planning for seniors, expungement, family law, and other civil legal matters.
Crosswood, Inc. DBA The Pathways Schools	\$1,500	Crosswood, Inc. DBA The Pathways Schools will use grant funds to develop a TV production lab for students at The Pathways School - Edgewood. The grant will cover equipment and software for production of student-produced announcements to be broadcast to classrooms.
Engaged Community Offshoots, Inc. dba ECO City Farms	\$5,000	Engaged Community Offshoots, Inc. dba ECO City Farms will use grant funds to support the salaries of their farmers who grow food for the local community.
Fidos for Freedom	\$2,000	Fidos for Freedom will use grant funds to purchase the dog supplement Dasuquin Nutritional Supplement to support joint development, growth and longevity in service dogs that extends the working lives of the dogs that are changing human lives through their assistance.
First Generation College Bound, Inc.	\$5,000	First Generation College Bound will use grant funds for general operating support in FY25 to include salaries, contractors, insurance, rent, telecommunications, printing, supplies, travel, staff and board of directors training, memberships, legal fees and Alliance activities.
Food & Friends, Inc.	\$2,000	Food & Friends will use the grant funds to provide freshly prepared home delivered Medically Tailored Meals, Groceries and Medical Nutrition Therapy to neighbors living with serious illnesses such as diabetes, heart disease, HIV/AIDS, sickle cell, etc. who cannot shop or cook for themselves.
Hope Connections for Cancer Support, Inc.	\$2,000	Hope Connections for Cancer Support, Inc. will use the grants funds to help people with cancer and their loved ones deal with the social, emotional, and physical impact of cancer through professionally facilitated programs of emotional support, education, wellness and hope.
Laurel 4th of July Committee	\$3,000	Laurel 4th of July Committee will use grant funds for the City of Laurel's Independence Day Celebration, with fireworks, parade, music, vendors and family fun games.
Laurel Advocacy and Referral Services	\$10,000	Laurel Advocacy and Referral Services will use grant funds for financial assistance, food, housing stability and self-sufficiency services, as well as for executive staff, client services and self- sufficiency program managers and development staff.



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Laurel Cats, Inc.	\$2,000	Laurel Cats, Inc. will use grant funds to cover medical expenses for cats belonging to or cared for by low-income residents of Prince George's County or cats found abandoned in Prince George's County.
Laurel for the Patuxent	\$2,800	Laurel for the Patuxent will use grants funds to expand their successful outreach and engagement program that provides opportunities for people of all ages and backgrounds to participate in environmental stewardship in Prince George's County and across the Patuxent Watershed.
Liberty's Promise, Inc.	\$3,000	Liberty's Promise, Inc. will use grant funds to support our after-school programs of civic engagement, held at Parkdale High School and Charles Carroll Middle School, held twice annually, in 10-week sessions, running from March to May and again from October to December.
Meals on Wheels of the College Park Area, Inc.	\$3,000	Meals on Wheels of the College Park Area, Inc. will use grant funds to purchase food items to assist with the preparation of meals for our clients.
New Deal Café	\$1,000	New Deal Café will use the grant funds to support our coordinator and sound technicians who support our primary mission of providing professional quality music and arts programming to the Prince George's County community and beyond.
Patrons for Peace Project, Inc.	\$10,000	Patrons for Peace Project, Inc. will use grant funds for payment of temporary housing of unhoused individuals; cost of inpatient substance abuse disorder treatment and aftercare at Pathways Treatment Center and Champ House for example; and medical costs.
Peace on Patuxent Inc.	\$5,000	Peace on Patuxent Inc. will use the grant funds for operational expenses, to cover the salary of an Office Manager, which will assist our organization to ensure that all services remain accessible and free of charge to women diagnosed with life-leveling cancers.
Streetcar Suburbs Publishing Inc	\$6,000	Streetcar Suburbs Publishing Inc. will use the grant funds to add Spanish-Language content to their three newspapers in Laurel, College Park, and Hyattsville.
The Arc of Prince George's County, Inc.	\$2,500	The Arc of Prince George's County will use the grant funds to support the Arc's programming that assist youth with IU/DD successfully transition from school to adulthood, along with supporting individuals with I/DD who are not receiving DDA benefits, in particular Spanish-speaking individuals.
The Laurel Historical Society	\$4,000	The Laurel Historical Society will us grant funds in support of adult and children's educational programming and activities, to include community outreach, hands-on learning opportunities, and exhibit-related events.
Woman's Club of Laurel, Inc.	\$3,500	Woman's Club of Laurel will use grant funds for the Tummy Tamers Program which provides non-perishable food and fresh fruit for local elementary school students. They work with school community liaisons to identify food insecure students to provide meals for them over the weekend during the school year.
Womens Community Club of Beltsville	\$2,700	Womens Community Club of Beltsville will use grant funds to provide assistance to families in need within the community of Beltsville during the 2025 holiday season, to strengthen the Beltsville community through beautification and clean-up efforts, and to provide scholarships for local youth.
Total	\$100,000	