## **Appropriations Project Requests, 111<sup>th</sup> Congress 2<sup>nd</sup> Session**

 $101^{st}$  Signal Battalion of the New York Army National Guard Quincy Place

Yonkers, NY 10701

To purchase the AN/TSC-156 Phoenix Tactical Super High Frequency (SHF) Satellite Terminal (TSST). This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will enable the National Guard of New York to make use of a mobile satellite communications terminal which provides quad band communications in military frequency ranges X and Ka bands and commercial C and Ku bands. The system provides high data rate exchanges between various satellites and ground communications systems in secure and non-secure digital formats. This will also provide an interface between military command and control systems and Federal, State and local communications systems that are used in support of homeland security and domestic emergencies.

\$5,000,000

Afikim Foundation 220 Spook Rock Road Montebello, NY 10901

For the Afikim Foundation Therapeutic Riding Program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it expands the therapeutic riding center for individuals with special needs and disabilities to provide physical and educational opportunities.

African American Chamber of Commerce of Westchester and Rockland Counties 100 Stevens Avenue

Suite 202

Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For the African American Chamber of Commerce. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it develops a comprehensive outreach and technical assistance program designed to inform minority and women businesses of current programs and proposed contracting opportunities by providing education and support.

\$31,500

African American Men of Westchester, Inc.

333 Mamaroneck Avenue

PMB 293

White Plains, NY 10605

For supporting green job training. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports green job training to help low-income, dislocated workers, including veterans, women,

African Americans, Latinos, school drop-outs, and ex-offenders find jobs in expanding green industries and related green occupations.

\$5,000,000

Albert Einstein College of Medicine 1300 Morris Park Avenue Belfer Building Room 902 Bronx, NY 10461

For rehabilitation of the College of Medicine facilities at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will renovate part of the Van Etten building for use by the Children's Evaluation and Rehabilitation Center (CERC) at the Albert Einstein College of Medicine. The CERC has for over 50 years provided services to infants, children, adolescents and some adults with problems, including physical, developmental, language and learning disabilities, located in the poorest county in the country. The rehab will enable four facilities used by the CERC to be combined into one facility, allowing training, clinical services and technical assistance for needy patients.

\$6,600,000

American Friends of Ashdod Medical Center 1310 48th Street Brooklyn, NY 11219

For construction of the Ashdod Medical Center. This project is a good use of tax payer funds because the new medical facility in Ashdod will be available to not only service our U.S. civilian population living in Israel, but also our U.S. forces in the entire region. \$2,000,000

American Red Cross of New York 520 West 49<sup>th</sup> Street New York, NY 10019

For the American Red Cross of New York Emergency Preparedness Initiative. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will recruit, train, equip and support 200 volunteers from the 17<sup>th</sup> District and also acquire and stockpile shelter supplies and equipment to be prepositioned throughout the district in advance of future large-scale disasters. \$350,000

Arts Westchester DBA Westchester Arts Council

31 Mamaroneck Avenue

Third Floor

White Plains, NY 10601

For the Arts Westchester Urban Heritage Garden. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the creation of the "Enslaved Africans' Rain Garden", a multi-million

dollar, urban heritage sculpture garden, used to create the first sculpture, conduct artist workshops, and document the process. This is an on-the-job training and mentor experience. \$250,000

Astoria/Queens SHAREing & CAREing, Inc.

45-02 Ditmars Boulevard

**Suite 1016** 

Astoria, NY 11105

For the Astoria/Queens SHAREing & CAREing Cancer Prevention and Education. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides linkages to free or low cost cancer screenings as well as free direct services, patient navigation and case management to women and men diagnosed and living with breast, ovarian, colon and other forms of cancer. \$115,000

Blue Door Gallery

65 Circle Drive

Hastings-on-Hudson, NY 10706

For the Blue Door Art Gallery. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the opening of a revitalized museum in the neighborhood, creating employment, and promoting arts through education.

\$250,000

Boys Town New York 444 Park Avenue South Suite 801

New York, NY 10016

For the Boys Town expansion. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it expands the Boys Town Treatment Home program and its In-Home Family Services program to serve more at-risk girls and boys who are already in the juvenile justice system. \$273,000

Brain Tumor Foundation 1350 Avenue of the Americas Suite 1200

New York, NY 10019

For the Brain Tumor Foundation programs. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it expands brain tumor early detection scanning, promotes an annual Brain Tumor Awareness Day, enhances support groups for brain tumor patients, and adopts a Call a Friend peer matching program.

\$750,000

Bronx Cluster of Settlement Houses 3101 Kingsbridge Terrace Bronx, NY 10463

For the Bronx Cluster Youth Development. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports staffing and program needs to effectively implement services and activities of the settlement houses to assist at-risk youth. \$750,000

Bronx County Historical Society 3309 Bainbridge Avenue Bronx, NY 10467

For the Poe Visitors/Bronx Tourism Center Educational Programming. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides the venue for year-around educational and cultural programming, and will act as a central Bronx location for the distribution of borough information on cultural events.

\$500,000

Bronx Jewish Community Council, Inc. 2930 Wallace Avenue

Bronx, NY 10467

For the Bronx Jewish Community Council elder crime prevention program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will enable the BJCC to continue conducting successful outreach and educational programs to both isolated seniors in their homes and to groups of seniors at various places in the community. The Anti-Crime Outreach Program will provide education and counseling to seniors.

\$240,000

Bronx Jewish Community Council, Inc.

2930 Bainbridge Avenue

Bronx, NY 10467

For the Bronx Jewish Community Council healthy eating and nutrition program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will enable the BJCC to continue conducting successful outreach and education programs to seniors regarding healthy eating and nutrition. \$240,000

Bronx Regional Health Information Organization 3325 Bainbridge Avenue Bronx, NY 10467

For the Bronx Regional Health Information Organization interoperable medical record program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will create a countywide interoperable medical record which can be accessed by healthcare personnel nearly anywhere in the Bronx, allowing clinicians to evaluate the patient's entire medical history when treating an existing or new healthcare concern.

\$1,300,000

Bronx Resource Community Center, Inc.

815 Burke Avenue

Bronx, NY 10467

For the Bronx Resource Community Center employment training program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will expand the current operating employment and training program. Funding will enable the introduction of additional job training options including staff and equipment, leading to potential empowerment and career opportunities. \$1,009,560

Bronx River Alliance One Bronx River Parkway Bronx, NY 10462

For the Bronx River Alliance Conservation Crew program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports job training and volunteer project support provided by the Bronx River Alliance Conservation Crew. The Crew provides field training to 40-50 trainees and interns per year who gain green jobs skills and experience. \$250,000

Caregivers Outreach Ministry Empowerment, Inc.

P.O. Box 298

Bronx, NY 10475

For the Caregivers Outreach programs. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it increases the level of support to family caregivers, decreases a feeling of isolation, and addresses caregivers' burn out rate. This program also expands the Touching the Lives of Caregivers and Mentorship programs, provides administrative support, recruits volunteers, purchases resource material, provides volunteer stipends, and fosters recognition and appreciation of family caregivers.

\$76,500

Catskill Hudson AHEC, Inc. 589 Route 299 Highland, NY 12528 For Catskill Hudson AEC retention. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides funding requested to maintain support staff positions integral to this project that will be lost, expenses relating to promotions of the HealthMatch program and outreach to potential physician candidates to encourage them to remain or return to New York state. \$150,500

Citizens Committee for New York City 767 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue 26<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10153

For the CCNYC resident training program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it trains and educates resident volunteers to take on community improvement initiatives around block beautification, recycling and project planning assistance. \$150,000

City of Mount Vernon 1 Roosevelt Square

Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For Mount Vernon Memorial Field Renovation. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it renovates a multi-sport synthetic turf field surface, an eight lane track, with steeplechase, seating for 3.900 people, a side grass field area, and a multi-purpose community room.

\$3,000,000

City of Mount Vernon

1 Roosevelt Square

Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For Mount Vernon Youth Green Jobs Training. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides career training for young adults ages 18-24, which is a demographic in Mount Vernon that, due to economic challenges, has a difficulty in obtaining higher education or occupational training which would make them more marketable in light of the expanding green job sector.

\$1,000,000

City of Mount Vernon

1 Roosevelt Square

Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For Mount Vernon Municipal energy efficiency. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will green Mount Vernon's City Hall facility. Improvements will include window replacement with low "E" insulated glass, high-efficiency lighting fixtures with motion sensor

controls, increase efficiency of heating system as well as a study of alternative energy uses (solar and geothermal) for City Hall.

\$1,000,000

City of Mount Vernon

1 Roosevelt Square

Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For Mount Vernon Youth anti-gang and anti-violence program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides activity and development oriented programming for youth, particularly during weekends and summer months. In addition to youth development, there will be an anti-gang component to combat rising rates of gang activity and violence in Mount Vernon.

\$900,000

City of Mount Vernon

1 Roosevelt Square

Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For the Mount Vernon Operation Protect. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because Operation Protect is a proven crime reduction strategy involving a dedicated contingent of police officers practicing community policing, increased outreach of city services, partnership with private non-profit social service providers and the development of neighborhood associations all in order to reduce crime over the long-term.

\$1,000,000

City of Yonkers 40 South Broadway City Hall Yonkers, NY 10701

For the Yonkers Ashburton Avenue widening. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will widen Ashburton Avenue to improve traffic flow around the neighborhood and to the downtown and waterfront, as part of the redevelopment of Mulford Gardens. \$5,000,000

City of Yonkers 40 South Broadway City Hall Yonkers, NY 10701

For the Yonkers Metro Center. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will construct a multi-modal transportation center needed to meet the demands of a growing commuter population center in lower Westchester County by combining vehicular, water taxi,

train, and bus services in one convenient location adjacent to the existing Yonkers Metro North/Amtrak train station.

\$26,600,000

City of Yonkers

40 South Broadway

City Hall

Yonkers, NY 10701

For the Yonkers WAVE drug sweep. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides funds to conduct drug-sweeps and intensive patrols on the west side, to be known as the Westside Anti-Violence Effort (WAVE).

\$2,579,004

City of Yonkers

40 South Broadway

City Hall

Yonkers, NY 10701

For the Yonkers Fire Headquarters. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the construction of a new fire headquarters in the city's growing downtown. \$5,000,000

City Parks Foundation

830 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue

New York, NY 10065

For City Parks Foundation park activities expansion. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it uses local parks to educate children and adults, provide recreational activities for youth and seniors, offer inexpensive cultural experiences for children and their families, and promote the utilization of local parks and to use open spaces by bringing people to their parks, thus creating safe and active parks.

\$100,000

College of Mount St. Vincent

6301 Riverdale Avenue

Room 428

Riverdale, NY 10471

For the College of Mount St. Vincent Chemistry Laboratories. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will upgrade chemistry labs to promote safety and modernization and to enhance science education opportunities for students.

\$2,500,000

Columbia University Medical Center 630 West 168<sup>th</sup> Street
New York, NY 10032

For the Columbia University equipment acquisition. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will procure two pieces of equipment to enhance the ability of the immunologists at Columbia University Medical Center to perform cutting edge research to improve treatment of immunological diseases. These instruments are a 2-proton confocal microscope and a high-speed fluorescence-activated cell sorter. \$1,000,000

Community Medical & Dental Care, Inc.

40 Robert Pitt Drive

Monsey, NY 10952

For the Community Medical & Dental Care facilities and equipment upgrade. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it purchases two ultrasound machines for the Ob/Gyn Department creating a new job for an Ultrasound Technician and better health care for patients. \$75,000

Community Outreach Center, Inc.

50 Melnick Drive

Monsey, NY 10952

For the After School Program for At-Risk Youth. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because provides for the operation of an after-school program for disadvantaged at-risk youth for a two year period. The program will service 60 middle/high school aged children four nights per week for two hours per day.

\$225,000

Community Outreach Center, Inc.

50 Melnick Drive

Monsey, NY 10952

For the construction of a community center. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the planning, design and construction of a multi-use community center.

\$800,000

Community Service Society of New York 105 East 22<sup>nd</sup> Street Walter L. Fields New York, NY 10010 For an at-risk youth training program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for outreach and employment training services for disconnected youth geared toward transportation industry jobs, in conjunction with trade unions. \$1,500,000

Congregation of Zemach David of Dinev

8 Darby Road

Airmont, NY 10952

For the Ezras Mitzor assistance in time of need program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it seeks to provide emergency short-term assistance to disadvantaged individuals who may be facing foreclosure, need for tuition assistance, funeral expenses, food or clothing needs, or job training counseling.

\$177,000

Cornell Cooperative Extension of Rockland County 10 Patriot Hills Drive

Stony Point, NY 10980

For the Rockland Community College Demonstration Building. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the construction of a 10,000 square foot, zero fossil fuel municipal/educational building at Rockland Community College. Using solar, wind, geothermal and led lighting technologies, the construction of an educational building will be powered entirely by renewable energy for joint use with RCC. \$1,000,000

Council for an Institute of Technology in Yonkers

P.O. Box 23

Yonkers, NY 10703

For the SUNY Yonkers assessment. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will assess the needs for a public College of Technology to be located in Yonkers, to serve the Lower Hudson Valley region, in which resides the most diverse and dense population of the state of New York, outside of New York City.

\$63,601

Council for Economic Education 122 East 42<sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite 2600 New York, NY 10168

For the Education for Democracy Act. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it funds valuable initiatives that have been proven to increase students' fundamental understanding of democracy, improve the school environment, and increase academic achievement. \$35,000,000

Council of Peoples Organization 1081 Coney Island Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11230

For the Imam Education Enrichment program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because provides an educational program with the cooperation of federal and local government for foreign born Imams to acquaint them with the history and culture of the U.S. while developing English language skills, resulting in increased communication and cooperation with our government.

\$312,000

East Ramapo Central School District 105 South Madison Avenue Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the East Ramapo School District Newcomers program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides the necessary academic and emotional support, including ESL instruction, counseling, access to community resources and teacher training. \$745,104

Education Through Music, Inc.

122 East 42<sup>nd</sup> Street

**Suite 1501** 

New York, NY 10168

For the music education program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it promotes the use of music in inner-city schools, as a means of enhancing students' academic performance and general development.

\$100,000

Empire State Potato Growers, Inc.

P.O. Box 566

Stanley, NY 14561

For the Empire State Potato Growers competitive potato breeding program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because the program will breed new potato varieties which are high yielding, disease and insect resistant, and adapted to the growing conditions in their particular areas, both for fresh market and processing. The goal is to improve production and quality of potatoes for processing and fresh market.

\$2,800,000

Epic Theatre Ensemble 252 West 38<sup>th</sup> Street

#1105

New York, NY 10018

For Epic Theatre Ensemble arts education program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports a nationally recognized after-school arts-in-education program, Shakespeare Remix, and the two-week Summer Institute. These programs will serve upwards of 400 NYC public high school students in Fiscal Year 2011. \$177,844

Esperanza International Foundation 13219 NE 20<sup>th</sup> Street Suite 208

Bellevue, WA 98005

For the Esperanza Rehabilitation Project for Haiti. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide funds to assist a rehabilitation process creating a self-sustainable revolving fund for small business (income generation), preventive health, HIV/AIDS and water, primary education and housing programs. \$4,000,000

Fountain View at College Road 12 College Road Monsey, NY 10952

For the Fountain View Wellness Center. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for construction of a Wellness Center, which will house an exercise room, an indoor aquatic workout exercise pool, and a second floor multi-purpose space for staging community events.

\$3,915,645

Friends of the Congressional Glaucoma Caucus Foundation 1983 Marcus Avenue

Suite 111

Lake Success, NY 11042

For the Congressional Glaucoma Caucus expansion. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will expand free glaucoma and vision screenings, follow-up and treatment services for high risk populations who include seniors and minorities, those with high blood pressure and/or diabetes in the 17<sup>th</sup> District.

\$150,000

Friends of Van Cortlandt Park 124 Gale Place Apt. GrA Bronx, NY 10463

For the Van Cortlandt Park trail rehabilitation, phase II. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because will make Van Cortlandt Park trails more accessible for park users by rehabilitation and construction of existing trails. \$200,000

Gay Mens Health Center 119 West 24<sup>th</sup> Street New York, NY 10011

For the GMHC HIV/AIDS Testing and Prevention program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides women in neighborhoods with high HIV prevalence in New York City with HIV/AIDS outreach, testing, and counseling. \$1,500,000

## Global Health Living Foundation, Inc.

For the Diabetes Pilot program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because provides a 12-month, patient-centered, HIPAA-compliant information and education program that teaches Type 2 diabetics how to control, and in some cases eliminate, their disease through diet, exercise, a positive mental outlook and a strong physician/patient relationship. \$500,000

Good Samaritan Hospital 255 Lafayette Avenue Suffern, NY 10901

For the Good Samaritan Hospital Emergency Department upgrade. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it expands the hospital from 19 to 34 beds to accommodate the exploding needs of those without primary care physicians, the uninsured and the underinsured. These funds will create additional treatment bays. The Emergency Department was built to accommodate 20,000 visits per year, and is currently seeing 37,000 patients per year. \$500,000

Good Shepherd Services 305 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue 9<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10001

For the Good Shepherd At-Risk Youth program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because the youth development program will support case management, counseling and crisis intervention services, resource referrals, attendance outreach, workshops, academic tutoring and test preparation, college preparation, employment readiness, and career exploration activities. \$500,000

Groundwork Hudson Valley, Inc.

6 Wells Avenue

Yonkers, NY 10701

For the Groundworks Rooftop Farm. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide funds for a 10,000 square foot rooftop greenhouse, which will produce more than a million dollars worth of lettuce, tomato, basil, cucumbers and peppers through its carbon-neutral hydroponic growing systems.

\$353,280

Haitian American Cultural and Social Organizations, Inc.

25 South Main Street

Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the HASCO Cultural Center Acquisition & Renovation. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports the purchase of a building to accommodate increase influx of immigrants/consumers and to enable the organization to expand in order to meet the growing needs of the community.

\$500,000

Harlem Children Society 536 East 82<sup>nd</sup> Street Suite 5F

New York, NY 10028

For the Harlem Children Society STEM Education program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it builds student competencies in science, technology engineering and math (STEM), job creation, preparing for a 21<sup>st</sup> century workforce, in paid summer and after school comprehensive, uniquely tailored, high skilled training programs. \$371,490

Hatzoloh EMS, Inc.

19 Glove Street

Monsey, NY 10952

For the Hatzoloh ambulance acquisition. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will procure one needed new ambulance for the EMS Corps.

Hatzoloh EMS, Inc.

19 Glove Street

Monsey, NY 10952

For the Hatzoloh communications upgrade. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will upgrade the communications system to transmit vital medical information.

HEALTH for Youths 3260 Netherland Avenue Unit 4A

Riverdale, NY 10463

For the HEALTH for Youths program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide funding for HEALTH for Youths to collaborate with non-profit organizations, schools and other community organizations which have after-school and weekend programs to provide workshops in the areas of physical and mental health, social and cultural education and life-skills throughout the year.

Hebrew Academy for Special Children, Inc.

5902 14<sup>th</sup> Avenue

\$45,000

Brooklyn, NY 11219

For the HASC After-School program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will enable HASC to serve 45 children with developmental disabilities and ASD. The after-school program is comprised with structured activities, customized for participating students and oriented to age appropriate academic and recreational curriculum. \$120,000

Historic House Trust of NYC, Inc.

830 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Room 203

New York, NY 10065

For the Historic House Trust of NYC Van Cortland House restoration project. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will mitigate water infiltration and drainage issues affecting the foundation of this historic house which was built in 1784. \$200,000

Historic Hudson Valley 150 White Plains Road Tarrytown, NY 10591

For the Historic Hudson Valley YCC. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it increases the number of participants in the Youth Conservation Corps. \$105,000

Hudson River HealthCare, Inc.

1037 Main Street

Peekskill, NY 10566

For the HRHCare expansion. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because the funds will address capital needs at 3 of 16 health centers. This critical investment will enable HRHCare to expand services, add 103 jobs and ensure the safety of patients. \$6,891,600

Institute for Student Achievement One Hollow Lane Suite 100 Lake Success, NY 11042

For the ISA High School turnaround program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will partner with schools and districts to transform low performing high schools into communities that graduate students prepared to be successful in college. \$2,000,000

Jawonio 260 North Little Tor Road New City, NY 10956

For the Jawonio Educational Support Services program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports educational, recreational and supportive services for children with disabilities, typically developing children, and their families in an environment that embraces diversity of culture and language.

\$300,000

Jewish Board of Family & Children 120 West 57<sup>th</sup> Street New York, NY 10019

For Home Again Veterans Mental Health Services. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it helps veterans and their families contend with the psychological and emotional stresses that often follow battlefront experience through treatments developed in trauma programs and specialized for the unique experiences of veterans and their families. \$100,000

Jewish Council of Yonkers 600 North Broadway Yonkers, NY 10701

For the Jewish Council of Yonkers Literacy program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports and expands a literacy initiative through the SMART (students and mature adults read together), reading buddies after school, summer reading buddies and open book programs.

Jewish Women International 2000 M Street, NW Suite 720

Washington, DC 20036

For financial literacy for young women. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it creates a women-focused public awareness campaign on the importance of debt management and prioritizing finances from a young age.

\$525,000

John Jay College 899 10<sup>th</sup> Ave

New York, NY 10019

For the John Jay College Reentry Policy and Practice program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it develops long-term sustainability for the National Academy for Re-Entry Policy and Practice.

\$500,000

John Jay College 899 10<sup>th</sup> Ave New York, NY 10019

For the John Jay College for Emergency Resource Studies. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the collection and analysis of data from emergency situations with the goal to establish best practices and curriculum development and training for integrated emergency responders from local, state, and national agencies. \$1,740,000

John Jay College for Criminal Justice 899 10<sup>th</sup> Ave

New York, NY 10019

For the John Jay College Forensic Crime Scene Analysis Initiative. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides the highest quality, state of the art training and assistance to law enforcement, attorneys, scientists, educators, and students in the use of science and the scientific method in criminal investigation and crime scene analysis.

\$1,300,000

John Jay College for Criminal Justice 899 10<sup>th</sup> Ave New York, NY 10019 For the Pathways to Political Violence program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it increases understanding of how ordinary people turn to political violence, and what to do about it. The Criminal Justice program will design the study, establish substations in the field, hire researchers, write protocols, and generally create the infrastructure necessary for the second stage of actual interviewing in the Middle East, Europe and in America. \$1,000,000

Joseph's Home

1 Blue Hill Plaza

Pearl River, NY 10965

For Joseph's Home programs. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because provides for the purchase of a small bus to transport displace (homeless) veterans to VA hospitals and other agencies where veterans can obtain support services. \$85,000

Joseph's Home 1 Blue Hill Plaza Pearl River, NY 10965

For Joseph's Home programs. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it rehabilitates an existing garage located on the property of a former vacant Army Reserve Center into a community room for the use of all veterans in Rockland County. \$350,000

Konbit Neg Lakay, Inc. 16 East Church Street Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the Konbit Neg Lakay Culturally Aware Education and Job Training program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides additional educational and transitional support through the Center's programs. Konbit Neg Lakay expects to better assist individuals in achieving basic employment and educational needs. \$180,000

Legal Services of Hudson Valley 90 Maple Avenue White Plains, NY 10601

For the Legal Services of Hudson Valley outreach program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides free legal services to eligible low-income people in the areas of housing, public benefits, elder law, children's advocacy and family law, domestic violence, disability law, health advocacy, employment law, and consumer law. This would upgrade the

telephone system, hire two paralegals and hire individuals who would upgrade the website and internet capacity.

\$300,000

Lehman College Center for the Performing Arts

250 Bedford Park Blvd, West

Bronx, NY 10468

For the Lehman Center Young People program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides a free introduction to music, dance and theatre for disadvantaged school children in grades K-12 through live performances designed to broaden cultural horizons. \$80,040

Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts, Inc.

70 Lincoln Center Plaza

9<sup>th</sup> Floor

New York, NY 10023

For the Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports the Lincoln Center's arts and music education and community outreach programs in the 17<sup>th</sup> District, and across the nation.

\$1,000,000

Meals on Wheels Programs of Rockland

West Nyack Road

Nanuet, NY 10954

For the Meals on Wheels Rockland programs. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will eliminate the waiting list of 65 homebound seniors to prevent having them choose between purchasing their prescriptions or meals, and to enhance their nutrition and health. \$260,598

Mercy College

555 Broadway

Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522

For the Mercy College Transfer PACT Program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it develops the Transfer PACT (Personalized Achievement Contract) program, a scalable, personalized mentoring program model for transfer and community college students designed to increase college graduation rates, create jobs and raise the per capita income for the 17<sup>th</sup> District and the New York region.

\$900,000

Montefiore Medical Center

3332 Rochambeau Avenue

4<sup>th</sup> Floor

Bronx, NY 10467

For the Montefiore Clinical Looking Glass program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it offers the Department of Defense a tool to allow the Military Health System, for the first time, to see patient data in real-time.

\$1,200,000

Mosholu Montefiore Community Center, Inc.

3450 Dekalb Avenue

Bronx, NY 10467

For the College Bound program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides counsel to 1,500 students in 8<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades with individual counseling in narrowing down the college application process, help with financial aid applications, college trips, individual resumes and SAT Prep courses. \$150,000

Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce

65 Haven Avenue

Mount Vernon, NY 10553

For the Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce Small Business Assistance program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports small business establishment and programs by educating residents and other interested parties on how to start and run a small business through workshops and training. This program will develop classes and support services to help close the technological gap that exists in many minority communities. \$200,000

Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce

65 Haven Avenue

Mount Vernon, NY 10553

For the Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce Small Business Incubator. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will build and equip a Green Jobs Incubator facility. This facility will support local green startups, provide green job training and encourage other new green industry companies to relocate to Mount Vernon. \$2,000,000

Mount Vernon Hospital 16 Guion Place New Rochelle, NY 10802 For the Mount Vernon Hospital Safety & ADA renovations. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will fund safety and accessibility improvements to sidewalks around the Mount Vernon Hospital campus, as well as to visitor, staff, and ER parking lots. \$258,480

Mount Vernon Hospital 16 Guion Place New Rochelle, NY 10802

For the Mount Vernon Hospital HIT upgrades. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the purchase and installment of new state-of-the-art integrated clinical and financial system that will allow exchange of electronic medical records and crucial pharmacy data.

\$780,000

Mount Vernon Hospital 16 Guion Place New Rochelle, NY 10802

For Mount Vernon Hospital fire safety renovations. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will improve the facility's fire safety by planning and installing fire sprinklers and sprinkler pumps hospital-wide and repairing penetrations in the internal smoke barriers. \$1,627,044

Mount Vernon Neighborhood Health Center 107 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For the equipment modernization. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it upgrades and replaces obsolete medical equipment to enhance the ability of providers to diagnose and treat low-income and minority patients.

\$26,157

Mount Vernon Neighborhood Health Center 107 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For the Mount Vernon Neighborhood Health Center scanners. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the purchase of heavy duty scanners used to save and document outdated materials and files.

\$54,000

Mount Vernon Neighborhood Health Center 107 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street

Mount Vernon, NY 10550

For the Mount Vernon Neighborhood Health Center. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the replacement of outdated lab equipment, in operation since 1973.

\$289,934

Nepperhan Community Center, Inc.

342 Warburton Avenue

Yonkers, NY 10701

For the Nepperhan Community Center renovations. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the renovation of the main level of the agency which is utilized by the entire community.

\$200,000

New Alternatives for Children

37 West 26<sup>th</sup> Street

New York, NY 10010

For the New Alternatives for Children support services program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides safety-net support services for medically-complex children and help to prevent the need for foster care or other more cost intensive services. \$800,000

New York Botanic Garden

200th Street and Kazimiroff Blvd

Bronx, NY 10458

For the New York Botanic Garden Get Going Growing program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it educates New York City children to become a new generation of healthy and environmentally aware eaters.

\$400,000

New York Junior Tennis League

58-12 Queens Blvd

Suite 1

Woodside, NY 11377

For the New York Junior Tennis League. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it creates new jobs, especially for community high school and college students, while also increasing the number of young people served because they have a safe, free, and trusted place to go after classes from 3pm to 6pm, on Saturday or school holidays, or during the summer. \$60,000

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

625 Broadway

Albany, NY 12233

For the NY State Department of Environmental Conservation NYC Watershed Assessment. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it assesses the conditions of the NYC watershed, evaluates the effectiveness of protection programs, and administers appropriate remedies to safeguard the water supply and upstate communities.

\$10,000,000

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

625 Broadway

Albany, NY 12233

For the NY State Department of Environmental Conservation Hudson River Estuary Restoration. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it implements four key plans that provide for the protection and restoration of the Hudson River Estuary. \$52,000,000

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

625 Broadway

Albany, NY 12233

For the New York City watershed environmental assistance program of New York. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the design and construction assistance for water-related environmental infrastructure, resource protection and to develop projects in the Catskill region.

\$5,000,000

New York State Energy Research & Development Authority

17 Columbus Circle

Albany, NY 12203

For the NYSERDA River Turbine project. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides funds to design, engineer, fabricate, assemble, install, operate and monitor an array of KHPS Turbines at Roosevelt Island site, and to demonstrate new turbine technologies in New York.

\$4,000,000

Nyack College

1 South Blvd

Nyack, NY 10960

For the Nyack College Nursing Building expansion. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the construction and retrofitting of 3,400 square feet of space for

the use of the Nursing program, which will address the acute Nursing shortage in New York State and Rockland County.

\$250,000

Nyack Hospital

160 North Midland Avenue

Nyack, NY 10960

For the Nyack Hospital emergency services expansion. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it expands the Emergency Services Department, bringing it in line with functional program guideline standards required to meet state-of-the-art emergency service care delivery.

\$3,500,000

Nyack Park Conservancy

9 North Broadway

Nyack, NY 10960

For the Nyack Park design and planning. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides schematic and construction plans for revitalization and environmental improvements to Nyack's Memorial Park. The new plan will provide new opportunities to the public for enhanced recreation and health.

\$80,000

NYC Department of Parks and Recreation

One Bronx River Parkway

Bronx, NY 10462

For the NYC Department of Parks and Recreation Shoelace Master Plan. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will enable approximately half of hard-surface riverine pathways to be removed and replaced by upland non-paved paths that will be designated as nature trails.

\$800,000

NYC Department of Transportation

55 Water Street

9<sup>th</sup> Floor

New York, NY 10041

For the Mosholu Parkway reconstruction. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it reconstructs the Mosholu Parkway between Gun Hill Road and Webster Avenue and reconstructs Fordham Road between Southern Blvd and Pelham Parkway. \$2,000,000

NYC Department of Transportation

55 Water Street

9<sup>th</sup> Floor

New York, NY 10041

For White Plains road congestion reduction. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because the study will identify needs and develop recommendations for improvement and will examine both current and projected future conditions so that congestion is reduced and quality of life is improved.

\$1,125,000

\$2,000,000

NYC Department of Parks & Recreation

One Bronx River Road

Bronx, NY 10462

For the NYC Department of Parks and Recreation promenade trails. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the creation of a one and a half mile stretch of former roadbed of the Bronx River Parkway in Shoelace Park which will be redeveloped into a multiuse path for cyclists and pedestrians.

NYSARC, Inc., Westchester County Chapter

265 Saw Mill River Road

Hawthorne, NY 10532

For the NYSARC, Inc. Westchester County Chapter. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for pre-development funding for new supportive housing resources for adults with developmental disabilities.

\$500,000

NYSARC, Inc. Westchester County Chapter

265 Saw Mill River Road

Hawthorne, NY 10532

For the Westchester ARC job training and equipment program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides funding for capital expansion costs that will allow dramatic expansion of the eDocNY and create over 20 sustainable new FT jobs. \$330,000

NYSDoT 50 Wolf Road Albany, NY 12232 For the NYSDoT ferry relocation. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because will provide for the relocating of the ferry landing from a temporary privately owned site within the Village of Haverstraw to a permanent site also within the Village. \$2,266,000

**NYSDoT** 

50 Wolf Road

Albany, NY 12232

For the NYSDoT Route 303 and Erie Street reconstruction. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the reconstruction of the intersection of Rout 303 and Erie Street in the Town of Orangetown in Rockland County, NY, by adding turn lanes and a median.

\$1,000,000

**NYSDoT** 

50 Wolf Road

Albany, NY 12232

For the NYSDoT Tappan Zee Bridge EIS. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will support the ongoing EIS evaluating alternatives to ensure the continued viability of the Tappan Zee Bridge and to reduce congestion in the corridor between Suffern in Rockland County and Port Chester in Westchester County through the implementation of a mass transit service.

\$4,800,000

**NYSDoT** 

50 Wolf Road

Albany, NY 12232

For the NYSDoT financing study for the Tappan Zee Bridge/I-287 corridor. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it finances a study for the Tappan Zee Bridge/I-287 corridor project.

\$8,000,000

Ohel Children

4510 16<sup>th</sup> Ave

Brooklyn, NY 11204

For the Ohel At-Risk Youth and Child Abuse Prevention program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it brings counselors and social workers to schools and homes to provide screenings for children experiencing behavioral or emotional difficulties or subjected to trauma. \$710,000

Ohel Children

4510 16<sup>th</sup> Ave

Brooklyn, NY 11204

For the Ohel Traumatic Brain Injury and Psychological Health program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because provides for outreach and treatment programs that serve active duty soldiers and their families in the New York metropolitan area.

\$1,650,000

Palisades Interstate Park Commission

3006 Seven Lakes Drive

Bear Mountain, NY 10911

For the group camps in Harriman State Park. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide infrastructure and accessibility of wilderness camps for youth. \$650,000

Pearl River Chamber of Commerce

P.O. Box 829

Pearl River, NY 10965

For the Pearl River Vision Plan. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it gives the local Chamber of Commerce the ability to hire a professional planning firm to study, and ultimately write, a comprehensive vision plan for the Hamlet of Pearl River. \$50,000

Public School 112. The Bronxwood School

1925 Schieffelin Avenue

Bronx, NY 10466

For the PS 112, The Bronxwood School Library technology upgrades and equipment. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides students with self playing digital audio books that would be the first step in immersing students in technology. \$100,000

Reading Excellence And Discovery (READ) Foundation

80 Maiden Lane

11<sup>th</sup> Floor

New York, NY 10038

For the READ tutoring and mentoring program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will train and support middle and high school students to provide structured, research based, supervised on-to-one tutoring in basic reading skills to at-risk kindergarten and first grade students.

\$45,000

Refuah Health Center, Inc.

728 North Main Street

Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the Refuah Health efficiency equipment acquisition. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will improve patient service and satisfaction by purchasing a phone-system with better technology that will support additional phone lines for patients, providers and move all calls from the front desk to an established call center within the facility. \$250,000

Refuah Health Center, Inc.

728 North Main Street

Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the Refuah Health Center audiology construction and equipment acquisition. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the construction of a sound room and purchase of audiology equipment which will help establish the new program. \$33,000

Research Foundation of CUNY on behalf of Lehman College 250 Bedford Blvd. West

Bronx, NY 10468

For Lehman College Science Equipment. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will replace old and broken scientific instruments know as liquid-chromatography-mass spectrometry (LC-MS) in order to continue to offer Lehman students engaged in laboratory sciences access to a state-of-the-art scientific instrument and the resulting first-hand experience. \$250,000

Residents United to Save Hillside (RUSH)

77 West Crooked Hill Road

Pearl River, NY 10965

For the Pearl River Land Acquisition. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the purchase of a 10-acre remnant woodland in Pearl River, New York. \$750,000

Riverdale Mental Health Association, Inc.

5676 Riverdale Avenue

Bronx, NY 10471

For youth and family mental health services. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for staff and equipment for an evidence-based early-intervention program to serve children aged birth to five years and their caregivers.

Riverdale Neighborhood House, Inc.

5521 Mosholu Avenue

Bronx, NY 10471

For the Riverdale Neighborhood House green building. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because this funding will complete the goal of attaining a totally green building as well as LEEDS certification including the installation of a geothermal heating and cooling system in the RNH Teen Center which is being expanded to add a second floor to the existing structure. \$500,000

Riverdale Young Men 5625 Arlington Avenue Bronx, NY 10471

For Riverdale Y energy efficiency and weatherization. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it implements an energy-saving demonstration project which entails four measures including a HVAC unit replacement, a lighting upgrade, a building management system and a retractable pool cover.

\$229,775

Riverspace Arts in Nyack 41 Glen Byron Avenue Nyack, NY 10960

For the Riverspace Arts in Nyack. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will advance the project by conducting studies, architectural and design, and acquisition costs to maintain site control.

\$959,000

Rockland County Highway Department 23 New Hempstead Road New City, NY 10956

For the Rockland County Highway Operations Center. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide the area with a operations center to assist in coordinating shared services during emergencies and events with all communities within the county. \$10,000,000

Rockland Community Foundation 169 Burd Street Nyack, NY 10960 For the Rockland Community Foundation commercial investment encouragement program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides necessary resources for the Rockland Community Foundation to continue building its organization so it can better serve the people of Rockland County, particularly non-profits, and help alleviate funding demands on local, state, and federal funding.

Rockland Conservancy of Music

7 Perlman Drive

Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the Rockland Conservancy of Music home. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will better serve the needs of the community for RCM to have a permanent home for the school.

\$937,800

\$50,000

Rockland County Sewer District No. 1

4 Route 340

Orangeburg, NY 10962

For the Western Ramapo advanced wastewater treatment plant. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides sanitary service to areas of western Ramapo including the villages of Sloatsburg and Hillburn and sections of the Town of Ramapo. \$3,000,000

Rockland County Youth Bureau

18 New Hempstead Road

New City, NY 10956

For Rockland County gang prevention. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will enable a number of community-based organizations to continue to implement research based models designed to engage, protect and strengthen Rockland's youth who are at-risk for gang recruitment.

\$239,500

Rockland Family Shelter, Inc.

9 Johnsons Lane

New City, NY 10956

For the domestic violence law project. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides no-cost legal representation in Family Court and other proceedings for economically disadvantaged income-eligible survivors and free legal consultations, by helping battered navigate the legal system.

\$125,000

Rockland Opportunity Development Association, Inc.

15 Elyon Road

Monsey, NY 10952

For the Kaser Community Center expansion. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the expanding of the Community Center Building to house after school programs, economic development projects, RODA's Youth program and Senior Center and community services such as a medical center.

\$1,000,000

Rockland Paramedic Services, Inc.

149A Main Street

Nanuet, NY 10954

For the Rockland Paramedic medical van. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will replace the Rockland Paramedic Services Special Operations Division 2002 Ford Cargo Van, which carries medical supplies and emergency communications equipment. \$49,000

Rockland Paramedic Services, Inc.

149A Main Street

Nanuet, NY 10954

For the Rockland Paramedic equipment acquisition. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the purchase of ballistic vests and helmets for the Rockland County Entry and Counter-Terrorism Team Tactical Medical Support Unit Paramedics (REACT Team or TMSU).

\$37,400

Rockland Paramedic Services, Inc.

149A Main Street

Nanuet, NY 10954

For the Rockland Paramedic Services detection module. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will purchase a Carbon Monoxide (CO) and Methemoglobin (MetHb) detection module for each of the LifePak Monitor/Defibrillators deployed in the 911 Emergency Medical System.

\$46,663

Seeds of Peace 370 Lexington Avenue Suite 401 New York, NY 10017 For the Seeds of Peace Leadership Development and Conflict Resolution Camp. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will bring youth from around the state of Maine to camp to discuss topics such as the state of the economy, race relations, and education reform. \$500,000

South Nyack-Grand View Village Police Department 282 South Broadway

South Nyack, NY 10960

For the South Nyack-Grand View fingerprint system. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the need for local law enforcement to use digital fingerprints and photographs.

\$25,000

Special Olympics International 1133 19<sup>th</sup> Street, NY Washington, DC 20036

For the Special Olympics Health Athletes program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides free health screenings, education, preventive service, and referrals to athletes.

\$8,500,000

Sports & Arts in Schools Foundation 58-12 Queens Blvd Suite 1

Woodside, NY 11377

For the sports and arts in schools program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it creates new jobs, especially for community high school and college students, while also increasing the number of young people served in an after school and weekend program. \$300,000

St. Christopher

71 South Broadway

Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522

For St. Christopher's independent living program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it develops and enhances an independent living program for children with disabilities. \$210,000

St. John 967 North Broadway Yonkers, NY 10701 For St. John. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because acquires 30 SmartCart medication carts which will be linked to the electronic medical record through the wireless infrastructure and an AutoMed Fast Barcoding System which will enable St. John to barcode all medications for inpatients.

\$614,000

St. Thomas Aquinas College

125 Route 340

Sparkill, NY 10976

For the St. Thomas Aquinas College forensic science laboratories. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports one-time acquisition costs to equip three new forensic science laboratories as part of St. Thomas Aquinas College's newly accredited forensic science program.

\$800,000

St. Thomas Aquinas College

125 Route 340

Sparkill, NY 10976

For the St. Thomas Aquinas College MBA online expansion. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports one-time costs associated with the expansion of St. Thomas Aquinas College's current campus-based Masters of Business Administration program to on-line course delivery.

\$250,000

St. Thomas Aquinas College

125 Route 340

Sparkill, NY 10976

For the St. Thomas Aquinas College STEM education access program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports one-time costs to establish a scholarship program at St. Thomas Aquinas College in mathematics, science and computer science. \$250,000

St. Thomas Aquinas College

125 Route 340

Sparkill, NY 10976

For the St. Thomas Aquinas College energy efficiency enhancements. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it supports one-time costs associated with incorporating new and emerging energy-efficient technologies into the construction of a new LEED-certified academic building.

\$3,000,000

**SUNY Rockland Community College** 

145 College Road

Suffern, NY 10901

For the RCC multimedia equipment. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it upgrades multimedia equipment by purchasing digital multimedia technology and educational equipment.

\$600,000

**SUNY Rockland Community College** 

145 College Road

Suffern, NY 10901

This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the purchase of equipment to promote international language instruction among native English speakers and English language proficiency among non-native speakers to more effectively compete in the international job market.

\$300,000

**SUNY-ESF** 

1 Forest Drive

Bray Hall 224

Syracuse, NY 13210

For the SUNY Asian Long Horned Beetle program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because provides funds to combat the problem of the Asian Long Horned Beetle infestation in the region.

\$1,580,000

Teach for America

315 West 36<sup>th</sup> Street

New York, NY 10018

For Teach for America. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because funds this national nonprofit, with a demonstrated record of success. They will use these funds to recruit, select, train and provide professional development to top recent college graduates of all academic majors who commit two years in our nation's highest poverty communities in 38 regions across the country.

\$50,000,000

The Bronx Opera Company, Inc. 5 Minerva Place #2-J Bronx, NY 10468 For the Bronx Opera Company arts-in-education program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it focuses on using professionals as teaching artists to impart their expertise to high school students.

\$82,984

The Nyack Library 59 South Broadway Nyack, NY 10960

For the Nyack Library resources and equipment acquisition. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will acquire library material, consisting of books, periodicals and electronic resources, and will provide for the purchase of computer hardware and software. \$250,500

The Village of Nyack 9 North Broadway Nyack, NY 10960

For the Nyack Center youth program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides services at the Nyack Center, an organization serving the lower income community in Nyack by providing a safe haven for 115 school age children from 7am to 6pm. The funds will go toward providing everything from breakfast to mentoring, computer training, after school programming, alcohol, drug and gang prevention programming. \$300,000

TheatreworksUSA 151 West 26<sup>th</sup> Street 7<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10001

For TheatreworksUSA programming. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because provides a quality, accessible theatre experience for disadvantaged children. By providing access to the arts, education is improved and placed on a level basis with high income students. \$25,000

Town of Clarkstown 10 Maple Avenue New City, NY 10956

For the Clarkstown trail project. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because will provide for the installation of 2.5 miles of handicapped accessible trails, a demonstration garden, and parking that will facilitate handicapped access. \$300,000

Town of Clarkstown

10 Maple Avenue

New City, NY 10956

For the Clarkstown stormwater drainage improvements program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it eliminates area street and structure flooding by improving the street drainage system and constructing a stormwater detention pond.

\$8,000,000

Town of Clarkstown

10 Maple Avenue

New City, NY 10956

For Clarkstown highway equipment project. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the purchase of highway equipment to replace current equipment which has aged and is in need of constant repair.

\$500,000

Town of Clarkstown

10 Maple Avenue

New City, NY 10956

For the Clarkstown road resurfacing. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the milling, resurfacing and pavement markings for multiple roads in Clarkstown and Nanuet.

\$500,000

Town of Clarkstown

10 Maple Avenue

New City, NY 10956

For the Clarkstown Corridor Study Phase II. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides funds for Phase II of the Comprehensive Transportation Plan which will analyze land use, zoning, and transportation corridor recommendations. \$450,000

Town of Clarkstown

10 Maple Avenue

New City, NY 10956

For the Clarkstown Emergency Operation Center. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it creates a facility using a geographically separated facility with a scaled down redundant communication system replicating our current capabilities in terms of interoperable radio system communications, computer aided dispatch, mobile data system, mapping, and

internet access for Federal, State, and Local interoperability for Criminal Justice web based applications.

\$500,000

Town of Clarkstown

10 Maple Avenue

New City, NY 10956

For Clarkstown river access infrastructure improvements. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for an ADA compliant kayak and canoe launch on the Hackensack River.

\$200,000

Town of Greenburgh

177 Hillside Avenue

Greenburgh, NY 10607

For Greenburgh safety measures, drainage, and traffic calming on Saw Mill River Road. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides handicapped accessible sidewalks, drainage improvements and traffic calming devices, safety solutions which are necessary to reduce the incidents of accidents and facilities on the Saw Mill River Road (Route 9A). \$425,000

Town of Orangetown

26 Orangeburg Road

Orangetown, NY 10962

For the Orangetown wastewater treatment improvements. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the construction of anaerobic digesters, a digester gas recovery system, and a cogeneration system at the Town's wastewater treatment plant to produce clean, renewable energy and heat stabilizing and reduce the quantity of wastewater sludge to be transported to the County's co-composting facility. \$18,000,000

Town of Ramapo Police Department

237 Route 59

Suffern, NY 10901

For the Ramapo Police Department taser acquisition. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the purchase of 30 X26E taser kits, which includes hardware, taser cams, training material and system maintenance contract. \$55,290

Town of Ramapo Police Department

237 Route 59

Suffern, NY 10901

For the Ramapo Police Department camera system. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the purchase of 30 in-car digital recording camera systems, which includes the necessary computer hardware, software, installation, training and system maintenance contract.

\$200,930

Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America

800 8th Street, NY

Suite 318

Washington, DC 20001

For Rockland non-profit crime prevention. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides Rockland County non-profit institutions at high risk of terrorist attack with needed funds to harden their physical security.

\$500,000

Village of New Square

766 North Main Street

Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the Village of New Square youth center construction. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the construction of a youth center on a half acre property which will include a teen center for after-school hours, evening and weekend activities, and an instructional support center for tutoring and parent education.

\$1,200,000

Village of Nyack

9 North Broadway

Nyack, NY 10960

For the Nyack streetscape revitalization. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it restores and revitalizes the streetscape of Nyack, including tremendous improvements in the environmental health of downtown.

\$1,000,000

Village of Nyack

9 North Broadway

Nyack, NY 10960

For the Nyack bulkhead improvements & replacement. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it repairs and replaces collapsing bulkheads in the Nyack Marina on the Hudson River.

Village of Spring Valley 200 North Main Street Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the Stonehouse Drive storm sewer improvement. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because the project will reduce flooding from paved streets through a reengineering of the Village's drain system.

\$750,000

Village of Spring Valley 200 North Main Street Spring Valley, NY 10977

For the Spring Valley community center construction. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the planning, design and construction of a new community center in the heart of Spring Valley.

\$750,000

Visiting Nurses Service of New York 1675 Broadway 18<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10019

For Visiting Nurse IT improvement. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will improve the health IT system to efficiently incorporate data from patients' other health providers into the patients' health records.

\$530,000

Volunteer Counseling Services, Inc.

77 South Main Street

New City, NY 10956

For domestic violence counseling. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides counseling for battered women who are the victims of crimes of domestic violence including, but not limited to, assaults, batteries, rapes/sexual offenses and stalking crimes wherein and whereby a woman is victimized by someone with whom she has cohabited or has an intimate relationship.

\$146,400

Wave Hill, Inc. 675 West 252<sup>nd</sup> Street Bronx, NY 10471 For the Wave Hill restoration. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for structural repair throughout the building to correct deteriorated conditions which threaten the building's long-term security.

\$150,000

Westchester County

148 Martine Avenue

White Plains, NY 10601

For the Westchester County Bronx River Parkway bridge. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for the design, planning and construction of the Bronx River Parkway bridge.

\$5,000,000

Westchester County

148 Martine Avenue

White Plains, NY 10601

For the Westchester County Ashford River Bridge rehabilitation. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will remove and replace the existing bridge deck, replace traffic signals, repair wing walls, pier and abutments, repair and strengthen the steel superstructure, paint the steel superstructure, and remove and replace existing bearings. \$15,000,000

Westchester County

148 Martine Avenue

White Plains, NY 10601

For the Westchester County bus replacement. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will replace 78 current 60-foot articulated buses with new fuel efficient hybrid buses. \$53,600,000

Westchester County

148 Martine Avenue

White Plains, NY 10601

For the Westchester County care coordinator program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it focuses on the subset of the population that uses a disproportionate share of expensive health and mental health services as well as social and legal services. Despite devoting significant resources on this relatively small segment of the population, these individuals have the poorest health outcomes. The Westchester County Care Coordination program was designed to stop the cycle of repeated service utilization, reduce health care costs, and improve the health and lives of those with the most complex needs. \$202,000

Westchester Jewish Community Services

845 North Broadway

White Plains, NY 10603

For the parent-child home program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for an in-home early literacy program for pre-school children, ages 18 months through 4 years of age, by developing language and other pre-literacy and on-going literacy skills. \$84,000

Westhab, Inc.

85 Executive Blvd

Elmsford, NY 10523

For the Westhab reentry employment project. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it seeks to reduce criminal recidivism and substance abuse and to improve family functioning as well as housing and employment outcomes for persons recently released from incarceration.

\$475,750

Wildlife Conservation Society 444 North Capitol Street, NW

Suite 397

Washington, DC 20001

For the Wildlife Conservation Society Urban Assembly School for Wildlife Conservation. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides underserved Bronx youth with a middle school education focused on wildlife science and conservation. \$500,000

Wildlife Conservation Society 444 North Capitol St, NW Suite 397

Washington, DC 20001

For the WCS Intermodal Facility. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the redesign of roadway and walkway layout to improve access to parking facilities, reduce congestion on feeder roads, enhance pedestrian safety and adhere to ADA requirements. \$5,600,000

Yonkers Public Schools One Larkin Center Yonkers, NY 10701 For Yonkers Project SHAPE. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides a Saturday and/or after school tutorial program to strengthen English language arts and mathematics skills of high poverty at risk students in grades three to twelve, to close the achievement gap among subgroups, and to improve academic performance of the State Assessment under NCLB.

\$342,612

Yonkers Public Schools One Larkin Center Yonkers, NY 10701

For Yonkers Project Eclipse. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because ECLIPSE (Elementary Content Literacy through Inquiry-Promoted Science Education) has been designed to provide Pre-K-6 teachers of science with high quality professional development in science content and pedagogy, to promote inquiry-based learning for understanding and 21st Century Skills as a foundation for improved science performance and participation in more advanced courses at the secondary level.

\$102,344

Yonkers Public Schools One Larkin Center Yonkers, NY 10701

For Yonkers Project 12-Up. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it is designed to provide principals/assistant principals and teachers of grades 7 and 8 students with high quality professional development in reading comprehension and writing, to improve the academic knowledge and skills of the district's adolescents.

\$87,619

Yonkers Public Schools One Larkin Center Yonkers, NY 10701

For Yonkers Project World WISE. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it would provide for the World WISE (Wonder, Investigate, Synthesize, Explain) program which has been designed to provide grades 9 and 10 global history teachers with high quality professional development in Global History content and pedagogy, to improve student performance on the Global History Regents.

\$88,570

Yonkers Public Schools One Larkin Center Yonkers, NY 10701 For Yonkers Project Online. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides teachers of grades 7-12 across curriculum areas with high quality professional development in the designing and implementation of virtual online courses. \$108,912

Yonkers Public Schools One Larkin Center Yonkers, NY 10701

For Yonkers Project CBGB. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it provides for the College Bound through Growing Bands which has been designed to provide much needed after-school instrumental music programs and residencies, including the purchase of musical instruments and related supplies, at targeted district elementary and secondary schools. \$225,462

YWCA Yonkers 87 South Broadway Yonkers, NY 10701

For the YWCA Yonkers at-risk youth after school program. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will expand the after-school program for the 13-18 target population to fill the vital three hour gap directly after school by providing educational, enriching and interesting activities in a safe supervised environment. \$32,000

YWCA Yonkers

87 South Broadway

Yonkers, NY 10701

For the YWCA Yonkers violence and crime prevention. This project is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will provide for increased security through the installation of a comprehensive surveillance system.

\$100,000