

Senator Angus S. King, Jr.
FY25 Congressionally Directed Spending Requests
Financial Services and General Government

Recipient: Jay, Livermore, Livermore Falls Chamber of Commerce

Project Purpose: To establish an entrepreneur incubator program in the Jay, Livermore, Livermore Falls region.

Project Location: Androscoggin County

Amount Requested: \$600,000

Recipient: Coastal Enterprises, Inc.

Project Purpose: To support the Child Care Business Lab, a cohort-based statewide program to help Mainers open and operate financially sustainable childcare businesses.

Project Location: Cumberland County

Amount Requested: \$400,000

Recipient: Gulf of Maine Research Institute

Project Purpose: To establish a 16-week accelerator program focused on the intersection of artificial intelligence and blue technology.

Project Location: Cumberland County

Amount Requested: \$760,000

Recipient: ClimateWork Maine

Project Purpose: To support the Maine Climate Action Business & Innovation Network, a statewide business support service system to help Maine businesses deploy climate solutions in operations products, services, and workforce development strategies.

Project Location: Cumberland County

Amount Requested: \$267,000

Recipient: The University of Maine

Project Purpose: To support renovations to the Maine Aquaculture Technology Lab in Franklin, ME.

Project Location: Hancock County

Amount Requested: \$2,500,000

Recipient: Maine Aquaculture Innovation Center

Project Purpose: To create two Maine Aquaculture Training & Entrepreneurship Centers to function as vocational training centers for aquaculture.

Project Location: Lincoln County

Amount Requested: \$1,484,000

Recipient: Wabanaki Public Health and Wellness

Project Purpose: To strengthen the arts community in Penobscot County, to promote tourism, economic development, and community healing.

Project Location: Penobscot County

Amount Requested: \$500,000