<u>Congressionally Directed Spending Requests — Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related</u> Agencies

Recipient Name: Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Sciences

Project Location: Lincoln County, ME

Project Purpose: Bigelow seeks CDS support to cover the costs of their free BLOOM programs (Bigelow Laboratory Orders of Magnitude) -- a week-long oceanography immersion camp for Maine high school juniors bringing 16 Maine high school juniors to Bigelow campus from across the state, one from each county for an intensive oceanography camp designed to improve STEM education in Maine.

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Amount Requested: \$89,000

Requesting Member: Sen. Angus S. King, Jr. (ME)

Recipient Name: City of Portland Police Department

Project Location: Cumberland County, ME

Project Purpose: The Portland, ME Police Department proposes to launch an alternative response program modeled upon successful programs from other parts of the country. The PART project will provide a non-law enforcement response to calls for service triaged through the Portland Regional Communications Center and determined safe and more appropriate for a social service response.

Amount Requested: \$658,000

Requesting Member: Sen. Angus S. King, Jr. (ME)

Recipient Name: Gulf of Maine Research Institute

Project Location: Cumberland County, ME

Project Purpose: Gulf of Maine Research Institute's Climate Center project will support resilient and thriving waterfront economies all along Maine's coasts and enhance planning for a future with higher seas, stronger storms, and warming and acidifying waters. The project will provide communities with actionable plans aligned with and in support of Maine Won't Wait, the state's climate action plan.

Amount Requested: \$650,000

Requesting Member: Sen. Angus S. King, Jr. (ME)

Recipient Name: Maine Department of Marine Resources

Project Location: Kennebec County, ME

Project Purpose: To fund the Department of Marine Resources Conservation Framework, a strategy to reduce mortality and serious injury of right whales incidental to the operation of ten Northeast fisheries, and to support Maine's heritage lobster industry as an economic driver.

Amount Requested: \$200,000

Requesting Member: Sen. Angus S. King, Jr. (ME)

Recipient Name: Midcoast Council of Governments

Project Location: Lincoln County, ME

Project Purpose: The Midcoast Council of Governments is seeking funding to support local police

department equipment purchases for multiple departments in the region.

Amount Requested: \$900,000

Requesting Member: Sen. Angus S. King, Jr. (ME)

Recipient Name: Roux Institute at Northeastern University

Project Location: Cumberland County, ME

Project Purpose: The CDS funding would support the development of the Advanced and Additive Manufacturing (AAM) Center at Brunswick Landing. The Roux Institute in collaboration with Kostas Research Institute, (a partnership model with university researchers, early-stage companies, mature industry) will finance the operational costs and hiring key Center staff, and supporting workforce development and educational programs.

Amount Requested: \$1,000,000

Requesting Member: Sen. Angus S. King, Jr. (ME)

Recipient Name: University of Maine System **Project Location:** Penobscot County, ME

Project Purpose: Funding is sought to establish the Maine Climate Coordination Center (MC3) to

support staffing and operations during the center's developmental phase.

Amount Requested: \$990,000

Requesting Member: Sen. Angus S. King, Jr. (ME)

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The Honorable Jeanne Shaheen Chair Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies Washington, D.C. 20510 The Honorable Jerry Moran Ranking Member Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chair Shaheen and Ranking Member Moran,

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2022 Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies appropriations legislation, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,

ANGUS S. KING, JR

United States Senator