Office of U.S. Senator Sherrod Brown
FY23 Congressionally Directed Spending (CDS) Awards

Links for Omnibus Bill Text & Explanatory Documents

The text of the final spending package, the fiscal year 2023 Omnibus Appropriations bill (H.R. 2617), is available here. A full summary of the 12 regular appropriations bills, as prepared by the Senate Appropriations Committee majority staff, can be found here.

Individual subcommittee summaries and explanatory statements, listed by division, are available here. Congressionally Directed Spending (CDS) awards are listed at the end of each division’s explanatory statement.

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*No CDS projects included in these divisions.*

**Final Omnibus Bill Totals**

Total Number of CDS Projects Submitted by Senator Brown Funded in Final Bill: 100

Total CDS Funding for Ohio Projects Submitted by Brown Office in Final Bill: $180,367,042
Division A: AgFDA
Total: 7 funded projects, total of $5,694,750 for Ohio

USDA – Rural Housing Service

**Project Name:** Belmont VFD New Station  
**Recipient Name:** Belmont Volunteer Fire Department  
**Project Purpose:** Project is to build a new fire station that will hold all apparatus, equipment, and supplies under one roof while providing safety for our firefighters and community. The current station consists of 2 buildings which have several issues. Both buildings are bowing at the sides and are unstable. The main building has cracks throughout from floor to ceiling. The second building is unfinished on the inside and rodents have been known to chew the wires on the vehicles causing damage and additional repair costs. Lack of drainage causes water to run to edge creating mold and deterioration of concrete. The new station will enable us to keep all apparatus in proper bays with adequate space. There will be drainage in the floors to prevent water and mold issues when washing trucks. Turnout gear will be in a separate room away from the exhausts. There will be adequate separate sleeping quarters for firefighters and gender-separate restrooms and showers. Community room will be utilized for training and meetings. It will also serve as an Emergency Operations Center for the area.  
**Project Location:** Belmont Township, Belmont and Stark County OH  
**Amount awarded:** $3,423,750  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Johnson

**Project Name:** Federal Valley Resource Center Roof Replacement  
**Recipient Name:** Federal Valley Resource Center  
**Project Purpose:** The Federal Valley Resource Center (FVRC) campus is composed of multiple historic buildings in great need of restoration. The building current programming is offered from is referred to here as the “Main Building”. This was the original school house, built in the 1890’s and added onto in 1920. The Main Building is the primary focus of roofs to repair, the two other roofs need repair as soon as possible, so that damage does not continue to escalate. The “Old Elementary School” was built in 1934, this building is the second priority. The third building, the “Old Wooden School Room” is in need of the most repairs and is the last priority, though it must be repaired soon. Repairing the roofs of these three buildings should be done as soon as possible so that FVRC may continue to expand community services, while preserving great relics of history. To ensure these historic buildings may continue to serve the community, they must be protected and restored. This three-step roof project allows systematic replacement of the roofs to buildings at risk of being lost to further damage, allows time to budget and plan for restoration of other portions of this campus. Without capital investment to repair these roofs, these historic facilities risk falling into a state of decline beyond repair. Any funds received will be used fully to repair the roofs, preserving the area's history and allowing the FVRC to continue to provide essential services to the Appalachian region. By reroofing these historic buildings, FVRC will be able to excel beyond the programming currently offered to the public. The thrift store is open four days a week. Weekly, monthly, and on-demand, the foodbank distributes food to over 65 families. Thanks to the public library, FVRC offers password-free Wi-Fi, available inside and outside of the buildings, allowing 24/7 community access. Free resume building services are
offered one evening every month. Monthly, FVRC hosts free performances by regional professional musicians. All year, the music lending library plays an essential role in schoolchildren acquiring instruments for the school band. Thanks to funding from a private foundation, FVRC offers quarterly, 8-week, private music instruction on a large variety of instruments, free of charge. Beyond music, FVRC offers free art classes, yoga by donation and hosts an array of fun community events such as an annual cooking of apple butter, where community members learn how to traditionally make apple butter over a fire, preserve it and enjoy. It is projects like these that FVRC believes are vitally important to crafting a better Appalachian Ohio for future generations. FVRC envisions their grounds to extend beyond a space of community gathering and education, but to also incorporate preserving community heritage arts, and serve as a startup business incubator, creating local job opportunities for residents in this Appalachian region. The FVRC is multifaceted, providing the community with a variety of daily events.

**Project Location:** Stewart, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $594,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Emerald Necklace  
**Recipient Name:** The Village of Somerset  
**Project Purpose:** Somerset’s Emerald Necklace is an ongoing, phased green space project that aims to provide the residents of the Village and the greater Perry County population with a connected and comprehensive recreational experience. The goal of the project is to acquire the CSX abandoned railroad property, open up the existing tunnel and create a hiking trail. Additionally, there is a lot of wetland mitigation that will need to be accomplished before a future bike path can be built on the site. This phase also funds the engineering and design work needed to apply for wetland mitigation and bike path construction. We have completed five phases and have secured $1,776,000 in funding from Clean Ohio Greenspace Conservation Fund and 25% local match funding.

**Project Location:** Village of Somerset, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $125,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** New Concord Fire Emergency Support  
**Recipient Name:** Village of New Concord  
**Project Purpose:** To purchase a 2024 Sutphen Heavy Duty Custom Pumper for the Village of New Concord for $833,856.00 for basic community fire protection emergency response. The primary purposes of a fire engine include transporting firefighters and water to an incident, as well as carrying equipment for firefighting operations. This engine would primarily respond to areas where water supplies are limited and time is of the essence. Currently, the community operates a 24-year old fire engine with a maintenance cost that is becoming untenable. The community does not have a reserve fire engine that can be used in its place when the vehicle is down for maintenance. Because new engines are so costly, the Village has always purchased used vehicles. The Village seeks the purchase of a new (higher initial cost, lower maintenance costs, longer lifespan) versus used (lower initial cost, higher maintenance costs) engine.

**Project Location:** Muskingum and Guernsey Counties  
**Amount awarded:** $625,000
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Fremont Community Recreation Center  
**Recipient Name:** City of Fremont  
**Project Purpose:** The Fremont Community Recreation Center has served as an essential component of the City's Parks and Recreation Department since 2000. The goal of this request is to renovate and improve the existing parking area for the facility with 21,000 sq. feet of gym space, the indoor walking track, weight room, and full-size ice rink. Renovations include the following: parking lot and entrance resurfacing, storm water drainage and water quality improvements, conversion of parking lot lights to LED lights, and the addition of an ADA parking lot area. These changes will address record-level usage of the facility.  
**Project Location:** Fremont, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $265,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Township Road Maintenance Equipment  
**Recipient Name:** Milton Township  
**Project Purpose:** This small, rural township has a two-man road crew. The township currently owns two snowplows. The older snow plow truck is a 2008 International Dura Star with 189,568 miles. This second truck has cost the township over $10,000 in repairs during the last two years. The township is requesting funds for a new snowplow truck to replace the 2008 model.  
**Project Location:** Milton Township, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $99,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Somerset Builder’s Club  
**Recipient Name:** Village of Somerset  
**Project Purpose:** The Somerset Builder’s Club is a community educational facility focused on regional economic development and local community revitalization. The facility serves as an educational platform providing dynamic programming focused on enhancing the local workforce and nurturing entrepreneurship. Examples include senior technology adoption programs, after-school STEM-based programing, recovery-to-work support, as well as co-working and makerspace facilities.  
**Project Location:** Somerset, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $563,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown
Division B: CJS
Total: 12 funded projects, total of $11,160,000 for Ohio

Department of Commerce – NIST, Construction

Project Name: Battery Innovation Lab and Education
Recipient Name: The Ohio State University
Project Purpose: Project will support an Ohio-based advanced battery lab and education center where the university and its partners innovate, build, learn and deploy together. With the support of Honda, Ohio State will leverage the university's extensive expertise in mobility and build upon several leading campus-based institutes to address key challenges currently prohibiting the universal adoption of solid-state batteries.
Project Location: Central Ohio counties
Amount awarded: $4.5 million
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Carey, Representative Beatty

Project Name: Wright State University and Infinity Labs Educational and Industry
Recipient name: Wright State University
Project purpose: This project will restore and improve one of Dayton’s oldest buildings, a Dayton Power and Light (DP&L) steam power plant, with a transformational co-use lab space furnished with cutting-edge equipment.
Project location: Dayton, OH
Amount received: $2,000,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Turner

Department of Justice – COPS Tech

Project Name: Fairview Park Police Department Radio Replacement Project
Recipient Name: City of Fairview Park
Project Purpose: Project would replace 133 obsolete and irreparable police radios, thereby improving intradepartmental communication abilities.
Project Location: Fairview Park, OH (Cuyahoga County)
Amount Awarded: $604,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Gonzalez

Project Name: Mental Health Critical Incident Training
Recipient Name: National Tactical Officers Association
Project Purpose: Project will support the Mental Illness Response Alternatives Center for Law Enforcement (MIRACLE) providing training to law enforcement officers in alternative responses to the mentally ill in crisis.
Project Location: All Counties
Amount Awarded: $1,000,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown
Department of Justice – Office of Justice Programs – Byrne

Project Name: Enhanced Services for Survivors of Rape and Human Trafficking
Recipient Name: Cleveland Rape Crisis Center
Project Purpose: Project will increase access and enhance services for the thousands of survivors who need the support of the Cleveland Rape Crisis Center's hotline and other services each year. Funds will support completion of a comprehensive Language Access Plan, ensure physical health services are available to victims of human trafficking, and help communicate available services to those in need.
Project Location: Cuyahoga, Ashtabula, Geauga, Lake
Amount Awarded: $750,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown

Project Name: Homesafe Services
Recipient Name: Homesafe, Inc.
Project Purpose: Project will hire two additional staff members to fulfill the legal advocacy positions; cover the remaining two court houses with staff on a regular basis, provide better means to mobile advocacy with additional staff, participate with on-site calls with law enforcement.
Project Location: Ashtabula
Amount Awarded: $90,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown

Project Name: Increased Capacity and Advocacy for Domestic Violence Victims and Survivors in Cuyahoga County
Recipient Name: Journey Center for Safety and Healing
Project Purpose: Project would provide enhanced support to victims of domestic violence by providing professional trainings, outreach, and referral information to other organizations that interface with individuals experiencing domestic violence and child abuse; providing targeted outreach and support to the faith community, hospitals, community centers, and more; increasing Journey’s community presence by attending events and resource fairs to raise awareness of services/resources and how to access them; identifying and providing outreach to culturally specific populations and “natural helpers” in the community; and strengthening partnerships with organizations serving marginalized groups.
Project Location: Cuyahoga
Amount Awarded: $439,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown

Project Name: Forbes House Shelter Expansion
Recipient Name: Lake County Committee on Family Violence
Project Purpose: Project will expand mental health programming for children in our shelter during their time at the Forbes House. There is an opportunity to support and help them through the trauma they are experiencing so they can process it and then provide them with the tools to keep themselves safe if they are in danger again. Project will provide children the ability to better
cope with and handle unsafe situations and help them effectively communicate their needs to a caregiver or another safe adult.

**Project Location:** Lake, Geauga, Cuyahoga, Summit, Ashtabula  
**Amount Awarded:** $335,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Substance Abuse and Mental Health Outreach Resources  
**Recipient Name:** Ohio QRT Association  
**Project Purpose:** Funding will help the Ohio QRT Association to become a fully functioning center of excellence for substance abuse and mental health outreach services to all communities within the state of Ohio and beyond by supporting website launch, collaboration with community partners, and the creation of a network of law enforcement, treatment agencies, public health, EMS, and hospitals.  
**Project Location:** Hamilton, Franklin Cuyahoga, Summit, Stark, Montgomery, Adams, Allen, Ashland, Ashtabula, Athens, Auglaize, Belmont, Brown, Butler, Carroll, Champaign, Clark, Clermont, Clinton, Columbiana, Coshocton, Crawford, Darke, Defiance, Delaware, Erie, Fairfield  
**Amount Awarded:** $160,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Human Trafficking Prevention  
**Recipient Name:** Ohio University  
**Project Purpose:** Project will support the partnership of Ohio University, the Cuyahoga Regional Human Trafficking Task Force (Task Force), and the Traffik Analysis Hub (TAHub) in the design of a Decision Support System (DSS) that police officers can utilize in the planning and deployment of anti-human trafficking operations.  
**Project Location:** Cuyahoga, Lorain, Medina, Summit, Geauga, Lake  
**Amount Awarded:** $323,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Women Helping Women Survivor Services Expansion  
**Recipient Name:** Women Helping Women  
**Project Purpose:** Project will expand critical, life-saving crisis intervention services for survivors of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking. Funds will support the transition to a new service structure that will increase capacity and allow for the creation of specialized teams for campus, hospital response, hotline, court, DVERT, and rural services.  
**Project Location:** Hamilton, Butler, Adams, Brown  
**Amount Awarded:** $764,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**NASA – Safety, Security, and Mission Services (SSMS)**

**Project Name:** Cleanroom Classroom Laboratory Equipment  
**Recipient Name:** Cuyahoga Community College District  
**Project Purpose:** Project will introduce a new curriculum that leverages a "cleanroom classroom laboratory" (CCL) to educate new and current workers on future lab techniques,
inspire scientific innovation, and prepare the workforce with skills so essential to the rapidly expanding advanced manufacturing industry.

**Project Location:** Cuyahoga County

**Amount Awarded:** $195,000

**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown
**Division D: Energy & Water**

**Total: 6 funded projects, total of $6,525,000 for Ohio**

**Army Corps of Engineers (Civil) – Construction**

**Project Name:** Ohio Environmental Infrastructure, Section 594, Avon Lake  
**Recipient Name:** Corps of Engineers  
**Project Purpose:** ALRW currently has a 36-inch water transmission main called the Eastern Transmission Line (ETL) supplying water to a pump station. From the pump station there are 36-inch (ETL1) and 42-inch (ETL2) transmission mains supplying water to over 250,000 residents. This project will construct a redundant 42-inch transmission main supplying water to the pump station and a redundant 36-inch ETL1 supply line. Historically, the ETL's were constructed based on the needs of several communities surrounding Avon Lake. Since construction of the ETL’s in the late 90’s, demand by other communities has increased significantly. These communities have seen growth over the last several years and are expected to grow more over the coming years. Redundancy and resiliency are key to providing reliable drinking water to these communities. This project will achieve redundancy by adding an additional supply main to the pump station. In events of ETL water main failure, redundancy is achieved by having a second main to supply water. Once redundancy is achieved, then resiliency is achieved. Having the ability to provide seamless water service during emergency events is paramount. The new 42-inch ETL transmission main will be inter-connected to the Avon Lake water system for redundancy in the event of an emergency. It will also be inter-connected with the Rural Lorain County Water Authority system and the City of Elyria system.  
**Project Location:** Avon Lake, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $1,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Ohio Environmental Infrastructure, Section 594, Canfield Township  
**Recipient Name:** Army Corps of Engineers  
**Project Purpose:** The proposed project will extend a water main along Turner Road in Canfield Township for fire safety services. Currently the residences along Turner Road have water wells. In the event of a house fire, the local fire department has to rely on pumper trucks and mutual aid from other fire districts. The proposed project will install fire hydrants along this road every 1000 feet which will aid in fire protection for a 7 square mile area.  
**Project Location:** Canfield Township, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $1,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Ohio Environmental Infrastructure, Section 594, Cleveland,  
**Recipient Name:** Corps of Engineers  
**Project Purpose:** Buhrer Avenue between West 14 Street and 1,150 feet east is a residential neighborhood. The existing main sewer was built in 1892. Due to age, the sewer is structurally deteriorated. This caused property and street flooding. The proposed project consists of replacing approximately 1,150 feet main sewer. The purpose of this project is to not only improve the main
sewer pipe condition but to increase the size of the existing main sewer to alleviate property and street flooding.

**Project Location:** Cleveland, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $1,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Ohio Riverfront, Cincinnati, OH  
**Recipient Name:** Corps of Engineers  
**Project Purpose:** Smale Riverfront Park is the City’s “front yard”; and green gateway to southwest Ohio. The City of Cincinnati partnered with the local corporate community, the major league sports teams that are neighbors to the site, Hamilton County and the Corps of Engineers to develop a plan for the park starting in 1997 and later partnered with these and other stakeholders including the Cincinnati Parks Foundation to fund the park. To date over $100 million has been invested in the park including $15 million of Federal funding starting in 2007, $47 million of private funding, $3.5 million of State funding and over $40 million from the City of Cincinnati. The park has met if not exceeded its original goals of being a catalyst for downtown area development and being a major new recreational asset for the region. It has drawn millions of visitors annually and is the setting for the Cincinnati Reds and Bengals Stadia, the mixed-use commercial and residential development known as The Banks, a gateway to the downtown area, and part of a string of public parks along the riverfront.  
**Project Location:** Cincinnati, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $900,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Chabot

**Department of Energy – Energy Projects**

**Project Name:** Euclid Microgrid  
**Recipient Name:** Cuyahoga County  
**Project Purpose:** Euclid Microgrid. This microgrid site was chosen for its concentration of manufacturing businesses with an identified need for energy resiliency. Manufacturers in this area have reported lost productivity and financial losses due to frequent power outages. This project will increase the resiliency of their power supply, while also reducing the manufacturer’s carbon footprint. The project includes rooftop solar and battery backup generation at three host sites and an approximately 1.5 mile long underground distribution/transmission line from an existing substation. The County Utility will build the solar, battery storage, smart grid control systems and local distribution network. These systems will have the ability to island off of the main grid and maintain power during outages, thereby significantly reducing financial losses. The systems will also enable manufacturers to reduce their peak electric loads and participate in emergency demand response programs, providing an overall benefit to the grid.  
**Project Location:** Euclid, OH  
**Amount awarded:** $1,500,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project name:** University of Akron Research Foundation Managed Sustainable Electric Powered System for Summit County Multi-Unit Affordable Sustainable Housing  
**Recipient name:** University of Akron Research Foundation
**Project purpose:** In an effort to address the housing crisis facing Summit County, University of Akron Research Foundation (UARF) is working with the Akron Metropolitan Housing Authority to produce 700 affordable housing units, starting with 44 units in Phase 1. UARF will manage and validate PV solar array for Phase 1 housing. UARF will manage and validate PV solar array for Phase I housing.

**Project location:** Akron, OH

**Amount awarded:** $1,125,000

**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown
Division E: FSGG
Total: 7 funded projects, total of $5,015,000 for Ohio

Small Business Administration – Salaries and Expenses

**Project Name:** Smart Manufacturing Adoption for Regional Technology Transformation  
**Recipient Name:** Youngstown Business Incubator  
**Project Purpose:** This project will allow YBI to target and assist small and medium-sized manufacturers who lack the expertise and capital of larger manufacturers. YBI will be better able to work with local manufacturers to support their efforts to either develop new products for the market, or use the technology to increase their efficiency.  
**Project Location:** Youngstown, Ohio  
**Amount received:** $350,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Cuyahoga County Public Library Solon Innovation Center  
**Recipient Name:** Cuyahoga County Public Library  
**Project Purpose:** This project will allow CCPL to create the Solon Innovation Center at its Solon branch in partnership with the City of Solon. This will allow customers to learn the basics about technology, including those that allow for additive and subtractive manufacturing.  
**Project Location:** Cuyahoga County, Ohio  
**Amount received:** $600,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Zora’s House Community Hub  
**Recipient Name:** Zora’s House  
**Project Purpose:** Zora’s House aims to expand and build a new 10,000 square foot community hub to serve Ohioan women as a center for innovation, empowerment, and economic recovery.  
**Project Location:** Columbus, Ohio  
**Amount received:** $1,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Beatty

**Project Name:** Black Entrepreneurship Training Program  
**Recipient Name:** United Black Fund of Greater Cleveland  
**Project Purpose:** This project will start a training program for Black entrepreneurs focused on information technology, manufacturing, professional services, medical technology, and renewable energy called “Building More Resilient Black-Owned Businesses.” The program will last 10-15 weeks, and graduates could be awarded start up grants or mentorships for their new businesses.  
**Project Location:** Cleveland, Ohio  
**Amount received:** $500,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Brown
**Project Name:** Hiram College Office of Workforce Development  
**Recipient Name:** Hiram College  
**Project Purpose:** This project will accelerate the launch of a workforce readiness program through the development of an Office of Workforce Development and Civic Engagement (OWDCE) on Hiram College’s campus. The project will involve the build-out of a 10,000 square foot space on campus and will launch an array of new certificate and degree programs that directly respond to the needs of Northeast Ohio and throughout the state.  
**Project Location:** Hiram, Ohio  
**Amount received:** $665,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Joyce

**Project Name:** NOPEC Small Business Energy Efficiency Support Program  
**Recipient Name:** NOPEC  
**Project Purpose:** This project will assist in outreach and further engagement in existing small business support programs. Federal funds will allow NOPEC to further engage with small businesses in the 242 communities they represent and encourage them to apply for NOPEC’s existing support programs.  
**Project Location:** Cuyahoga County, Ohio  
**Amount awarded:** $400,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Joyce

**Project Name:** Greater West Dayton Incubator  
**Recipient Name:** University of Dayton  
**Project Purpose:** This project will fund the building of a permanent space of approximately 20,000 square feet in the heart of West Dayton, the assets of which entrepreneurs can leverage to establish and grow their businesses. The development of the new location will provide for more effective training and classroom space, collaboration facilities, and modern information technologies. Conversations are underway with partners to provide a commercial kitchen, as well as a makerspace.  
**Project Location:** Dayton, Ohio  
**Amount received:** $1,500,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Turner
**Division G: Interior**

Total: 12 funded projects, total of $20,900,772 for Ohio

Environmental Protection Agency – STAG – Drinking Water State Revolving Fund

**Project Name**: Ironton for Water Main Extension and Booster Station Improvements Projects  
**Recipient Name**: Hecla Water Association  
**Project Purpose**: Approximately 51 households in the Macedonia Hill area of Lawrence County, Ohio do not have an adequate source of drinking water. Residents currently use hauled water, bottled water, cisterns, or wells as their source for drinking water. On November 27, 2019, six wells in the area were sampled and five out of six wells tested positive for Total Coliform and E. Coli. A majority of the residents in the project area are low income. The Lawrence Water District completed an income survey in September 2019 which determined that 51% of the households in the project area are low-to-moderate income. The project involves the installation of waterline, a booster station, and an elevated water tank to serve approximately 51 households in the Macedonia Hill area of Lawrence County, Ohio. Specifically, the project includes the installation of 18,550 LF of 6-inch waterline, 8,700 LF of 4-inch waterline, a booster station, and a 50,000 gallon elevated tank. The waterline, booster station, and elevated tank would be owned, operated, and maintained by the Hecla Water Association.  
**Project Location**: Ironton, OH  
**Amount awarded**: $2,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown

**Project Name**: Cleveland Water for Potable Water System Upgrade  
**Recipient Name**: City of Cleveland Water Division  
**Project Purpose**: This project will result in positive environmental and economic outcomes for our customers. At least 12 communities in our eastern service area are expected to no longer experience discolored water caused by high levels of manganese that result from seasonal hypoxic water in Lake Erie. In addition, Cleveland Water will realize cost savings by minimizing the time and resources spent making treatment adjustments to address dramatically fluctuating hypoxic water conditions and manganese levels. Operational savings translate directly to savings for our customers as they can minimize or even negate the need for rate increases. In total, 400,000 customers are estimated to be supplied from the Nottingham Water Treatment Plant and therefore indirectly benefit from this project. This number is based on water production in proportion to our customer base. In 2021, Cleveland Water produced an average of 206.5 million gallons of water per day (MGD).  
**Project Location**: Cleveland  
**Amount awarded**: $1,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown

**Project Name**: City of Toronto Walton Acres Phase 1 Waterline Improvement Project  
**Recipient Name**: City of Toronto OH  
**Project Purpose**: East Fernwood Drive located in Walton Acres (development) in the City of Toronto, Ohio. The work will be completed in the City ROW. Walton Acres - See the overall area of Walton Acres. They would like this entire area done at one point. This is the newest
section of town and was built in the 70’s. Project includes - Valves, Concrete Pavement Replacement, Fire Hydrants Improvements. No lead lines in this area. We are installing storm inlets in the same location as the existing, new water line will be a 6” and all hydrants will be replaced. The pavement build up will be 9” non reinforce concrete pavement, with curb and gutter. 1930 LF of 8” Waterline 7- 8” Valves 36 - 3/4” Copper service branch 4 fire hydrants 5400 SY pavement removed 17 catch basins removed and replaced

**Project Location:** Toronto OH  
**Amount awarded:** $600,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Johnson

**Project Name:** City of Portsmouth Water Treatment Plant  
**Recipient Name:**  
**Project Purpose:** Construction of a new water treatment plant and intake structure that serves all of the City of Portsmouth and a large part of the county. Funds would be used to offset rate increases to customers. This is the largest project the City of Portsmouth has undertaken and no project in the city's history has been more important. The current plant is at risk for failure as some components date back to the 1920's. The plant has exceeded its useful life. In addition to the City of Portsmouth, the project will provide potable water to Scioto, Lawrence, and Adams Counties in Ohio. Water will also be supplied to Greenup, Kentucky. The project would replace the current water treatment plant and allow uninterrupted service to residents and businesses. The single point of failure of the current structure can lead to a complete shutdown.  
**Project Location:**  
**Amount awarded:** $4,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Wenstrup

**Environmental Protection Agency – STAG – Clean Water State Revolving Fund**

**Project Name:** Shaker Heights Sewer Project for the Lomond/Lynnfield Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO) Project  
**Recipient Name:** City of Shaker Heights  
**Project Purpose:** Over the past six years, the City of Shaker Heights has spent more than $15 million maintaining and repairing critical sewer infrastructure to mitigate sanitary sewer overflow and the resulting contamination of Lake Erie. As a result of climate change, storm events are becoming more frequent with higher intensity. During rain events, sanitary flow is conveyed to the local combined sewer overflow system and is discharged to the environment. The sewers need to be enlarged for added capacity to prevent this sanitary sewer overflow. To this end, the City of Shaker Heights recently completed two out of seven total sewer modernization and remediation projects. The Lomond- Lynnfield Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO) Project is the third project the City is undertaking, and it will alleviate a greater source of pollution by mitigating overflows of the larger Lomond-Lynnfield sanitary sewer. The Lomond-Lynnfield SSO Project will reduce sanitary sewer overflows, address the impacts of climate change, and improve water quality and safety in the Doan Brook Watershed and Lake Erie. The project will increase sewer capacity and rehabilitate critical sections of the sanitary sewer system where persistent sanitary sewer overflows have occurred over several decades.  
**Project Location:** Shaker Heights  
**Amount awarded:** $1,600,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Brown

Project Name: Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District for Garfield Heights Combined Sewer Overflow
Recipient Name: Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District
Project Purpose: In the City of Garfield Heights, there is a combined sewer overflow (CSO) relief point located on Wolf Creek at Andover Blvd. This relief point, where combined sewage is estimated to discharge sewage into Wolf Creek 50+ times every year, is upstream from the Garfield Park recreational area that is being revitalized, where guests can use Garfield Pond (fed by Wolf Creek) to fish and do paddle sports. This project includes sewer separation and stormwater offloading from the tributary system to restore the outfall to discharge only stormwater and send the combined sewer flows to the Mill Creek Tunnel for full treatment. This work will also mitigate reported basement flooding within the E.105th - McCracken - Granger - E.119th neighborhood and reduce the burden on the Garfield Heights residents.
Project Location: Garfield Heights, OH
Amount awarded: $2,000,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Brown

Project Name: Madison County Board of County Commissioners Summerford Sanitary Sewer Project
Recipient Name: Madison County Board of Commissioners
Project Purpose: The Madison County Board of Commissioners recognizes Summerford as being an unincorporated area in the county in need of sanitary sewer service. There is a significant public health concern due to possible contamination of onsite private wells from onsite private septic systems in high density housing setting. Essentially, most homes set on less than quarter acre lots in close proximity to one another. Madison County has secured $1,825,000 in grants and will pursue 2 others. However, there will be a shortfall and would like to avoid passing this burden on to the consumer. Summerford is a low to moderate income community with a median household income of $51,126.00. Consequently, it has been the goal of the project team to secure 100% of the project cost in grant funding to eliminate any additional financial burden on the residents LMI community. Additionally, this unincorporated area has potential for residential and commercial growth but may be challenged due to the lack of sewer service. Considering its location on US 40 and proximity to I 70 this could be a catalyst for strategic growth in the area.
Project Location: Madison County
Amount awarded: $765,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Carey

Project Name: Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District Smith Road Storm Water Project
Recipient Name: Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District
Project Purpose: The NEORSD Rocky River Stormwater Master Plan identified intercommunity flooding issues near the border of Middleburg Heights and Brook Park. Several transportation assets are predicted to become impassable during a 10- year storm event due to an undersized culverted stream and minimal stormwater management. The roadways that flood include Smith Rd., Montvale Drive, Michael Drive, and Sheldon Rd. The proposed project is to construct a detention basin which will intercept undetained stormwater runoff and reduce the
peak flow rates downstream as they enter the culvert. NEORSD has invested in the acquisition of the property, initial environmental assessments, and feasibility reports to support the construction of a dry detention basin which is predicted increase the resiliency of these two communities by reducing the chance of flooding of these roadways for all storms up to the 100-year event.

**Project Location:** Middleburg Heights OH  
**Amount awarded:** $2,724,800  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Gonzalez

**Project Name:** City of Willoughby Chagrin Floodplain Restoration and Protection Project  
**Recipient Name:** City of Willoughby  
**Project Purpose:** The Chagrin River Floodplain Restoration and Protection Project involves restoration and preservation of 185 acres along the Chagrin River that have been affected by substantial streambank erosion and nutrient inputs, which are contributing sediment to the river and threatening downstream attainment of the Chagrin River’s aquatic life use designation as well as threatening the stability of State Route 84. Additional funds are needed to secure the remaining 105 acres of key green space along the Chagrin River and create a wetland filtration floodplain forest adjacent to the Chagrin River. This will involve the decommissioning and restoration of an existing 32-acre nursery and will create native habitat that will treat stormwater from upland residential developments and prevent erosion, reduce nutrient runoff entering the river, and recharge groundwater

**Project Location:** Willoughby OH  
**Amount awarded:** $2,323,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Joyce

**Project Name:** City of Port Clinton for Phase 1 Sewer & Waterline Improvements  
**Recipient Name:** City of Port Clinton  
**Project Purpose:** The City of Port Clinton will use funds for their Water and Sanitary Sewer Infrastructure Improvements project. The sewer improvements will separate sanitary sewer flows from existing combined sewers with the intent to reduce untreated sewage discharge to Lake Erie through a Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO). Water Improvements will replace aging, undersized, deteriorated waterlines, & lead services. Separation of sanitary sewer flows from these combined sewers will utilize a recently installed/separated 18” sanitary sewer interceptor located along Jefferson Street at Third Street. All proposed sanitary sewer installation/separation improvements extending from this new interceptor sewer are improvements recommended in a 2016 Sewer System Analysis and Capital Improvement Plan prepared for the City with phased improvements intended to eventually lead to separated sanitary and storm sewers in the older/central neighborhoods of Port Clinton. These improvements should be considered upgrades for the City’s collection system in accordance with fundamentals established in a 1999 USEPA Consent Decree along with the City’s related Long Term Control Plan. Waterline improvements for this project are primarily based recommendations of a Water Distribution System Analysis and Capital Improvement Plan prepared for the City in 2014. Most proposed 8” waterline improvements are replacing 4” and 6” substandard size waterlines where hydrant flow testing and water system modeling have indicated a need for better/increased flow for fire protection. Proposed 12” waterline replacements, as well as some of the new 8” waterlines, are replacing existing lines where age and/or deterioration have resulted in line breaks requiring the immediate attention of the City to minimize contamination of the water system and excessive loss of water.
City provided water distribution mapping and past waterline plans indicate the waterlines being replaced were constructed between 1939 (83 years old) and 1963 (59 years old).

**Project Location:** City of Port Clinton OH  
**Amount awarded:** $3,452,972  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Kaptur

**Forest Service – State and Private Forestry – Forest Resource Information and Analysis**

**Project Name:** Holden Arboretum’s Forest Resiliency and Conservation and Canopy Coverage Expansion Project  
**Recipient Name:** Holden Arboretum  
**Project Purpose:** Holden Arboretum’s project will promote forest resiliency and conservation and expand canopy coverage in Northeast Ohio by: (1) establishing a regional seed bank serving NEOH and the Great Lakes Region; (2) expanding pest-resistant tree propagation; (3) increasing regional growth capacity with green house construction in conjunction with local universities, promoting conservation research as well as reforestation; (4) expanding regional forestry workforce by expanding Holden’s Tree Corps learning program.  
**Project Location:** Kitland  
**Amount awarded:** $335,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**National Park Service – Historic Preservation Fund – Save America’s Treasures Grants**

**Project Name:** Foundation for Appalachian Ohio for Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church Revitalization  
**Recipient Name:** Foundation for Appalachian Ohio  
**Project Purpose:** The Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church Historic Site Restoration and Renovation Project will return the long vacant historic church to use as an historic site open to the public. Macedonia, located in Lawrence County, is the first Black church established west of the Alleghenies, the first Black congregation in Ohio, and the only antebellum Black church building in Ohio still standing. The congregation formed in the 1790s and built their first church building in 1811. In 1849, the "Burlington 37" - newly manumitted Virginians moved to Ohio, joined the congregation, a led to a doubling in size of the church membership. As a result, a new building was constructed that year. Members continued to worship at Macedonia through the mid-1900s. The church was added to the National Register of Historic Places in 1978 and to the National Underground Railroad Network to Freedom in 2020. Many 19th century features survive including the pressed-tin ceiling, church bell, wooden pews, wood stoves, and pulpit area. These will be restored according to the Secretary of the Interior's Standards. When restored the church will welcome tourists, school groups and special events.  
**Project Location:** Lawrence County  
**Amount awarded:** $100,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown
**Division H: LHHS**
Total: 26 funded projects, total of $26,281,520 for Ohio

*Department of Labor Employment and Training Administration*

**Project Name**: Workforce Development Initiatives  
**Recipient Name**: Akron Urban League  
**Project Purpose**: The Akron Urban League (AUL) seeks CDS funding to support workforce development initiatives. These programs allow the AUL to provide much-needed assistance with job search, career readiness, training, and intensive case management to support the career advancement efforts of the participants.  
**Project Location**: Akron  
**Amount awarded**: $680,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown

**Project Name**: Smart Manufacturing Workforce  
**Recipient Name**: Cuyahoga Community College District  
**Project Purpose**: Cuyahoga Community College is enhancing its Smart Manufacturing program through the lens of access, equity and success to address demand for workforce skills.  
**Project Location**: Cleveland  
**Amount awarded**: $1.22 million  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown and Representative Brown

**Project Name**: Building Futures  
**Recipient Name**: Franklin County Board of Commissioners  
**Project Purpose**: To fund and expand the Building Futures program, a first of its kind apprenticeship program, developed in partnership with the Ohio Building and Construction Trades Council and the Columbus Urban League.  
**Project Location**: Franklin County  
**Amount awarded**: $686,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown

**Recipient Name**: Local Initiatives Support Corporation  
**Project Purpose**: The Ensuring Equitable Access to High-Quality Jobs project will support the launch of the first Financial Opportunity Center (FOC) operated by a public housing authority in the State of Ohio, and the expansion of Ohio To Work (OTW), a collective impact initiative designed to connect underserved individuals in the Toledo region to job training/placement opportunities in the in-demand sectors of Healthcare, Advanced Manufacturing, and Technology.  
**Project Location**: Toledo  
**Amount awarded**: $800,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown
Project Name: Pathways Community HUB  
Recipient Name: Ashtabula County Community Action Agency  
Project Purpose: The Pathways Community HUB is an evidence-based certification meant to reduce poverty, address the social determinants of health, and improve health outcomes and compliance for community members, including postpartum visits, social service interventions, substance use treatments, and preventive health services.  
Project Location: Ashtabula  
Amount awarded: $870,000  
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown

Project Name: United Way of Greater Cleveland 211 Helpline  
Recipient Name: United Way of Greater Cleveland  
Project Purpose: United Way of Greater Cleveland requests federal funding to update equipment necessary to operate its United Way 2-1-1 helpline.  
Project Location: Cuyahoga County  
Amount awarded: $225,000  
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Gonzalez

Department of Health and Human Services Health Resources and Services Administration

Project Name: Ashtabula County Medical Center Patient Care Tower Equipment  
Recipient Name: Ashtabula County Medical Center  
Project Purpose: Ashtabula County Medical Center is requesting federal funds to help with the cost of equipment for its new patient care tower.  
Project Location: Ashtabula County  
Amount awarded: $3 million  
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Joyce

Project Name: Center for Addiction Treatment Recovery House  
Recipient Name: Center for Addiction Treatment  
Project Purpose: Center for Addiction Treatment requests federal funding to support the construction of a Recovery House for adults on medication assisted treatment.  
Project Location: Hamilton County  
Amount awarded: $500,000  
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Chabot

Project Name: Cincinnati Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired (CABVI) Orientation and Mobility Service Project  
Recipient Name: Cincinnati Assn. for the Blind & Visually Impaired  
Project Purpose: Cincinnati Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired seeks federal funds to support the construction of programming space for Orientation and Mobility Service training and support to help people who are blind or visually impaired adapt to vision loss.  
Project Location: Hamilton County  
Amount awarded: $500,000
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Cleveland Clinic Medina Hospital Interventional Radiology  
**Recipient Name:** Cleveland Clinic  
**Project Purpose:** Cleveland Clinic requests federal funds to increase access to critical interventional radiology procedures, as well as cardiac and vascular procedures, at its Medina Hospital.  
**Project Location:** Medina County  
**Amount awarded:** $905,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Gonzalez

**Project Name:** Community Memorial Hospital Magnetic Resonance Imaging Machine Replacement  
**Recipient Name:** Community Memorial Hospital  
**Project Purpose:** Community Memorial Hospital requests federal funding to replace its outdated magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) medical imaging equipment.  
**Project Location:** Defiance County  
**Amount awarded:** $1,500,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Hocking Valley Community Hospital  
**Recipient Name:** Hocking Valley Community Hospital  
**Project Purpose:** Hocking Valley Community Hospital is seeking federal funding to replace a critical Computed Tomography (CT) machine.  
**Project Location:** Hocking County  
**Amount awarded:** $1,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Homefull Pharmacy and Health Clinic  
**Recipient Name:** Homefull  
**Project Purpose:** Homefull is requesting federal funds to support the construction of a health clinic and pharmacy as part of its larger, 16-acre facility, to help address health and equity in Dayton and Montgomery County, Ohio.  
**Project Location:** Montgomery County  
**Amount awarded:** $2,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

**Project Name:** Lake County Free Clinic Renovation & Expansion Project  
**Recipient Name:** Lake County Free Clinic  
**Project Purpose:** Lake County Free Clinic requests federal funding to renovate and expand its current facility to access to free primary care for Ohioans in need.  
**Project Location:** Lake County  
**Amount awarded:** $100,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Joyce
**Project Name**: Columbus Cancer Clinic Improvement Project  
**Recipient Name**: LifeCare Alliance  
**Project Purpose**: LifeCare Alliance requests federal funding to support its Columbus Cancer Clinic. Funds would be used to replace its mammography machine and provide critical facility upgrades.  
**Project Location**: Franklin County  
**Amount awarded**: $975,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown, Representative Beatty

**Project Name**: Netcare Access Facility Improvement Project  
**Recipient Name**: Netcare Access  
**Project Purpose**: Netcare Access requests federal funding for capital improvement projects that will allow the facility to better serve the surrounding community.  
**Project Location**: Franklin County  
**Amount awarded**: $250,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown

**Project Name**: New Destiny Treatment Center  
**Recipient Name**: New Destiny Treatment Center  
**Project Purpose**: New Destiny Treatment Center requests federal funding to help cover the construction cost of a new medical clinic facility to expand New Destiny’s capacity serve more individuals in need of addiction treatment in northeastern Ohio.  
**Project Location**: Wayne County  
**Amount awarded**: $1.5M  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown, Representative Gonzalez

**Project Name**: Northeast Ohio Medical University Dental School  
**Recipient Name**: Northeast Ohio Medical University  
**Project Purpose**: Northeast Ohio Medical University requests federal funding for construction and refitting costs necessary for the University to start a dental school program.  
**Project Location**: Portage County  
**Amount awarded**: $2,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown

**Project Name**: Ohio Hills Health Services Behavioral Health Expansion Project  
**Recipient Name**: Ohio Hills Health Services  
**Project Purpose**: Ohio Hills Health Services seeks federal funding to support the renovation of its Barnesville Health Center, to allow for the expansion of behavioral health services in the region.  
**Project Location**: Belmont County  
**Amount awarded**: $650,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown
Project Name: Red Oak Behavioral Health Capital Improvement Project  
Recipient Name: Red Oak Behavioral Health  
Project Purpose: Red Oak Behavioral Health is requesting federal funds to support a capital improvement project to upgrade and expand its Akron facility to make it more trauma-informed and accessible to clients, allow for integrated physical healthcare service delivery, and create a regional training center for nonprofit social service professionals.  
Project Location: Summit County  
Amount awarded: $2,000,000  
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Ryan

Project Name: Nationwide Children’s Close to Home Zanesville Rural Health Center  
Recipient Name: Nationwide Children’s Hospital  
Project Purpose: Nationwide Children's Hospital requests federal funding for the establishment of a Nationwide Children’s Close to Home rural health center in Zanesville, Ohio, to bring pediatric service lines to Muskingham County for the first time.  
Project Location: Muskingum County  
Amount awarded: $1,000,000  
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Balderson

Project Name: Good Samaritan Hospital IOPS Technology  
Recipient Name: Good Samaritan Hospital of Cincinnati Ohio  
Project Purpose: Good Samaritan Hospital requests federal support for the purchase of capital equipment known as Intra-Operative Positioning System (IOPS) that is an innovative FDA approved technology that provides color 3D GPS-like surgical navigation and imaging that improves endovascular procedure outcomes and reduces harmful radiation exposure to patients and healthcare workers.  
Project Location: Hamilton County  
Amount awarded: $590,000  
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Chabot

Project Name: University Hospitals Obstetrics and Neonatal Simulation Program  
Recipient Name: University Hospitals  
Project Purpose: University Hospitals is requesting federal funds to develop an obstetrics and neonatal simulation program at UH Cleveland Medical Center, with the aim of lowering the infant mortality rate and reducing disparities in infant mortality in NE Ohio.  
Project Location: Cuyahoga County  
Amount awarded: $1,145,520  
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Brown

Department of Education Elementary & Secondary Education

Project Name: Community Museum Education Programs  
Recipient Name: The Rock & Roll Hall of Fame and Museum Inc.  
Project Purpose: The Rock & Roll Hall of Fame respectfully plans to grow and expand its highly impactful K-12 and higher arts and music history education programs for students locally,
nationally, and globally. Students experience live demonstrations, music and video excerpts, and multimedia presentations, and educational materials will be available in multiple languages.

**Project Location:** Cleveland  
**Amount awarded:** $1 million  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Brown

**Project Name:** TECH CORPS Computer Science Program  
**Recipient Name:** TECH CORPS  
**Project Purpose:** This project will enable TECH CORPS to update and upgrade its technology for income-eligible 3rd-12th grade students across Ohio enrolled in their in-school, after-school, and summer programs, including purchasing laptops, iPads, and 3-D printers.  
**Project Location:** Columbus  
**Amount awarded:** $140,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown

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**Department of Education Higher Education**

**Project Name:** Quantum Science Infrastructure and Workforce  
**Recipient Name:** The Ohio State University  
**Project Purpose:** The requested funds would support a quantum network infrastructure that will grow regional capabilities for research with higher education, military, and civilian applications and build Ohio’s quantum science workforce.  
**Project Location:** Columbus  
**Amount awarded:** $1,045,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Carey
Division L: THUD

Total: 27 funded projects, total of $63,790,000 for Ohio

Department of Transportation – Grants-in-Aid for Airports

**Project Name:** Cleveland Hopkins taxiway vector extension project  
**Recipient Name:** Cleveland Airport System  
**Project Purpose:** This project will enhance airfield safety, expand capacity and enable economic development through the increase of aviation activity, for both Cleveland Hopkins International Airport and the Greater Cleveland area. In addition, this modernization project clearly meets the objectives of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of reinvesting in and enhancing our nation’s infrastructure.  
**Project Location:** Cleveland, Ohio  
**Amount Awarded:** $1,190,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Gonzalez

Department of Transportation – Highway Infrastructure Projects

**Project Name:** Irishtown Bend Equitable Transportation Access and Livability Project  
**Recipient Name:** Ohio Department of Transportation  
**Project Purpose:** The project will fund construction of a multipurpose trail and related streetscape enhancements (landscaping and lighting) along the soon-to-be reconstructed Franklin Avenue, which slopes down the hillside from West 25th Street to the Cuyahoga River.  
**Project Location:** Cleveland  
**Amount awarded:** $750,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Sen. Brown

**Project Name:** East Exchange Street Complete Street in Akron  
**Recipient Name:** Ohio Department of Transportation  
**Project Purpose:** Replace street infrastructure and improve bicycle and pedestrian access to improve the regional community’s access to job centers in downtown Akron as well as the area’s main hospitals and The University of Akron. Exchange Street is the primary east west arterial for Akron and is heavily used by both commuters and locals.  
**Project Location:** Akron  
**Amount awarded:** $2,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Sen. Brown

**Project Name:** Thornwood Drive improvement project  
**Recipient Name:** Ohio Department of Transportation  
**Project Purpose:** This project, “The Hill,” will reconstruct approximately 2/3-mile of roadway on Thornwood Drive, between River Road and Faye Drive in the western part of the City. The existing roadway is not capable of safely and efficiently managing the amount and type of traffic currently utilizing it.  
**Project Location:** Newark, Ohio  
**Amount Awarded:** $4,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Balderson
**Project Name**: Licking County Intel Local Roads  
**Recipient Name**: Ohio Department of Transportation  
Project Purpose: The funding request will include construction costs for the improvement of up to 9.1 miles of county and township roads leading into the 3000-acre Intel site recently annexed into New Albany. The identified roadways are narrow, have asphalt or chip seal surfaces that are in poor condition, and some have poor drainage.  
**Project Location**: Licking County, Ohio  
**Amount Awarded**: $2,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown, Representative Balderson

**Project Name**: Memorial Bridges Loop Trail  
**Recipient Name**: Ohio Department of Transportation  
**Project Purpose**: The Memorial Bridges Loop is a vision for a bicycle and pedestrian multiuse path that will connect Downtown with the near West Side utilizing the historic Veterans Memorial Bridge (Detroit-Superior) and Hope Memorial Bridge (Lorain-Carnegie) to traverse the Cuyahoga River.  
**Project Location**: Cleveland, Ohio  
**Amount Awarded**: $432,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown, Representative Brown

**Project Name**: Ashville Pike Replacement Bridge  
**Recipient Name**: Ohio Department of Transportation  
**Project Purpose**: The project would replace the Ashville Pike bridge crossing of Norfolk Southern and CSX rail yard connecting to Rickenbacker Parkway. An alternative access point from Ashville Pike would provide relief from increased traffic resulting by the continued development of this corridor, which currently feeds into an already congested State Route 762 and U.S. 23 intersection.  
**Project Location**: Circleville, Ohio  
**Amount Awarded**: $5,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown, Representative Carey

**Project Name**: Fairfield County TID US Route 33 Lane Widening  
**Recipient Name**: Ohio Department of Transportation  
**Project Purpose**: U.S. Route 33 is an important freight and commuter route to and from the upper Midwest and the Southeast United States, and a lane addition project between Lancaster and Columbus would offer immediate relief to the through traffic since it would add capacity and would serve as a breakdown lane for the frequent traffic incidents. Funding for design of the lane widening project will provide a means to initiate the project development process.  
**Project Location**: Lancaster, Ohio  
**Amount Awarded**: $3,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters**: Senator Brown, Representative Carey
Project Name: Building Better Neighborhoods Phase I
Recipient Name: Ohio Department of Transportation
Project Purpose: Building Better Neighborhoods Phase 1 consists of improvements to Linn Street in the West End Neighborhood. The street, pedestrian and bicycle improvements will alleviate many of the safety issues along the Linn Street corridor.
Project Location: Cincinnati, Ohio
Amount Awarded: $1,500,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Chabot

Project Name: East Liverpool Riverfront Trail
Recipient Name: City of East Liverpool
Project Purpose: This project would create a bicycle and pedestrian trail in East Liverpool, Ohio, providing access to business districts and the Ohio River, and connecting the city to a regional trail. This funding would facilitate construction of segment 2.1 of the 6-segment trail and would be used for land acquisition, demolition, earthwork, erosion control, pavement, traffic control, railroad coordination, landscaping, and other construction costs. The remaining $170,680 of project funding has been requested within the Ohio Capital Budget and is pending approval.
Project Location: East Liverpool, Ohio
Amount Awarded: $1,000,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Johnson

Project Name: I-675 Wilmington Pike Interchange Project
Recipient Name: Ohio Department of Transportation
Project Purpose: The I-675/Wilmington Pike interchange serves major employment and commercial centers, residential and recreational users in the vicinity of the interchange and surrounding roadway network supporting the City of Centerville, Greene County and Sugarcreek Township. Growing congestion issues, along with continued opportunity for economic growth in the area, has prompted local interests to consider improvements to the arterial street network and the I-675/Wilmington Pike interchange.
Project Location: Dayton, Ohio
Amount Awarded: $3,000,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Turner

Project Name: East Dayton Rails-to-Trails Project
Recipient Name: City of Dayton
Project Purpose: The East Dayton Rails-to-Trails (Flight Line) project completes two gaps in the Miami Valley’s regional trail network, connecting Downtown Dayton and the City of Kettering to 350+ miles of multi-use trails.
Project Location: Dayton, Ohio
Amount Awarded: $1,500,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Turner
**Department of Transportation – Transit Infrastructure Grants**

**Project Name:** EZConnect One-Call Center  
**Recipient Name:** Stark Area Regional Transit Authority  
**Project Purpose:** NEOride is developing a regional mobility center (EZConnect) that will include Stark Area Regional Transit Authority, Western Reserve Transit Authority, Wayne-Medina Community Action, CAA of Columbiana County, Trumbull County Transit, Southwest Ohio Regional Transit Authority and Butler County Regional Transit Authority. The call center will be based in Northeast and Southwest Ohio at one or more transit locations and fulfill the call-taking, scheduling and customer service needs for multiple partner transit agencies as well as other potential non-profit and for-profit transit partners.  
**Project Location:** Statewide  
**Amount awarded:** $1,250,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Sen. Brown

**Project Name:** Rickenbacker Area Mobility Center  
**Recipient Name:** Central Ohio Transit Authority (COTA)  
**Project Purpose:** The Rickenbacker Area Mobility Center is envisioned as a mobility center connecting COTA fixed-route service with various workforce shuttle options, including the Groveport Rickenbacker Employee Access Transit (GREAT) as well as an interface with public transportation from Fairfield and Pickaway counties. The mobility center would be a catalyst for additional economic development activity with commercial space devoted to improving food access and providing new ways for area employees and residents to access childcare, health care and workforce development and training.  
**Project Location:** Franklin County, Ohio  
**Amount Awarded:** $3,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Beatty

**Project Name:** Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority (GCRTA) Rail Car Replacement Program  
**Recipient Name:** Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority (GCRT)  
**Project Purpose:** GCRTA’s heavy and light rail cars are 37 and 40 years old, and have exceeded their useful life. Due to their age, replacement parts are difficult to obtain and the technology and components within the cars are obsolete. This request will provide additional funding for this program to replace GCRTA’s two aging fleets of rail cars.  
**Project Location:** Cleveland, Ohio  
**Amount Awarded:** $5,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Brown

**Department of Housing and Urban Development – Community Development Fund**

**Project Name:** WoodhillUpNext Transformation Plan  
**Recipient Name:** Cuyahoga Metropolitan Housing Authority  
**Project Purpose:** The WoodhillUpNext Transformation Plan aims to increase connectivity and a positive identity for the Buckeye-Woodhill neighborhood through the redevelopment of the Woodhill Homes (a public housing development) and two strategically located off-site
properties. Funding would contribute to construction of the neighborhood redevelopment that is a partnership between the City of Cleveland, Cuyahoga Metropolitan Housing Authority, Cleveland Metropolitan School District, and The Community Builders and is the recipient of a HUD Choice Neighborhoods Implementation Grant.

**Project Location:** Cleveland  
**Amount awarded:** $2,750,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Sen. Brown

**Project Name:** Northwest Dayton Health & Wellness Campus Construction  
**Recipient Name:** Premier Health  
**Project Purpose:** This project will construct the Northwest Health and Wellness campus, a 50,000 sq. ft. facility that will support healthy lifestyles through the addition of Premier Health medical services and a full-service YMCA on the former Good Samaritan Hospital site in a distressed census tract.  
**Project Location:** Dayton  
**Amount awarded:** $3,500,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Sen. Brown

**Project Name:** Trumbull County Home Repair Program  
**Recipient Name:** Trumbull Neighborhood Partnership  
**Project Purpose:** This program provides critical home repairs to limited income households in Trumbull County, keeping homes safe and contributing to their neighborhoods. The program began in 2018 and has completed 100 home repairs to date using existing funds, but has 300 homeowners on the waiting list and more being added each week. These funds would allow Trumbull Neighborhood Partnership to repair more homes to benefit limited income homeowners and the community.  
**Project Location:** Trumbull County  
**Amount awarded:** $750,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Sen. Brown

**Project Name:** Lincoln Heights Public Safety Redevelopment  
**Recipient Name:** Hamilton County  
**Project Purpose:** The Lincoln Heights Redevelopment Project will remove the existing Cincinnati Police Department training facility from its current location, adjacent to the densely populated villages of Lincoln Heights and Woodlawn and to a public housing development, to a rural location in Hamilton County more suitable for this purpose and where the daily noise from training will not cause harm to residents. Funding provided will contribute to the physical development of the consolidated safety complex to facilitate redevelopment of the current site.  
**Project Location:** Hamilton County  
**Amount awarded:** $4,000,000  
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Sen. Brown
Project Name: Schneider Park Revitalization Project
Recipient Name: Toledo Football Academy
Project Purpose: The Schneider Park Revitalization Project will transform Schneider Park within the City of Toledo into a premier home for soccer that will also serve as a demonstration project for environmentally sustainable public recreation.
Project Location: Toledo
Amount awarded: $1,381,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Sen. Brown

Project Name: Cleveland Scholar House Affordable Housing Development
Recipient Name: CHN Housing Partners
Project Purpose: Cleveland Scholar House will create a 40-unit building to provide opportunities for low-income parents enrolled full-time in institutions of higher learning and their children by pairing affordable housing with onsite supportive services and high-quality daycare.
Project Location: Cleveland
Amount awarded: $1,500,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Sen. Brown

Project Name: Crittenton Community Center
Recipient Name: Directions for Youth & Families
Project Purpose: This project's vision and goal is to build a new community center that, in partnership with other social service agencies, will provide needed services to more families, children, and adults.
Project Location: Columbus, Ohio
Amount Awarded: $1,000,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Beatty

Project Name: Greater Cleveland Food Bank Capital Expansion and Capacity Building Project
Recipient Name: Greater Cleveland Food Bank
Project Purpose: Greater Cleveland Food Bank is pursuing a transformative capital and capacity building campaign to expand their distribution and production of nutritious food, and to create a dedicated space for their clients to access services that can help them address the root causes of food insecurity.
Project Location: Cuyahoga County, Ohio
Amount Awarded: $4,000,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Brown

Project Name: Cleveland Early Learning Spaces (PRE4CLE)
Recipient Name: Educational Service Center of Northeast Ohio
Project Purpose: Cleveland Early Learning Spaces is an initiative that provides childcare and Head Start programs with grants, technical assistance, and professional development to complete facility renovations that support the health, safety, learning, and development of young children.
Project Location: Cuyahoga County, Ohio
Amount Awarded: $1,287,000
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Brown
**Project Name:** Broadband Connectivity and Digital Skills for Underserved Cleveland
**Recipient Name:** DigitalC
**Project Purpose:** The Broadband Connectivity and Digital Skills for Underserved Cleveland Communities project will include affordable broadband connectivity and digital skills training for the Mount Pleasant community of Cleveland.
**Project Location:** Cleveland, Ohio
**Amount Awarded:** $3,000,000
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Brown

**Project Name:** The Historic Sandusky State Theatre
**Recipient Name:** The Sandusky State Theatre
**Project Purpose:** This project is for the rebuilding and restoration of the Sandusky State Theatre, which is a registered historic landmark.
**Project Location:** Sandusky, Ohio
**Amount Awarded:** $3,000,000
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Kaptur

**Project Name:** West Carrollton Riverfront Development and Low Dam Whitewater Park
**Recipient Name:** City of West Carrollton
**Project Purpose:** The Project will develop 25 acres along the Great Miami River and revitalize the surrounding low dam area along the riverfront in West Carrollton.
**Project Location:** West Carrollton, Ohio
**Amount Awarded:** $3,000,000
**Ohio Delegation Requesters:** Senator Brown, Representative Turner
Division J: MilCon VA
Total: 3 funded projects, total of $41 million for Ohio

Recipient Name: Rickenbacker Air National Guard Base
Project Purpose: To construct a small arms range and training and maintenance facility at Rickenbacker Air National Guard Base.
Project Location: Columbus, OH
Amount awarded: $8,000,000.00
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Carey

Recipient Name: Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
Project Purpose: To build a child development center for school age children.
Project Location: Dayton, OH
Amount awarded: $29,000,000.00
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown, Representative Turner

Recipient Name: Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
Project Purpose: To plan and design the Human Performance Wing Laboratory at WPAFB.
Project Location: Dayton, OH
Amount awarded: $4,000,000.00
Ohio Delegation Requesters: Senator Brown