



MICHIGAN SENATE

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

Date Submitted: 04/10/2026

1. Sponsoring legislator's full name:

Senator Darrin Camilleri

2. Cosponsoring legislators' names (if applicable):

Darrin Camilleri

3. Intended legislatively directed spending item recipient:

City of Wayne

4. Physical address of legislatively directed spending item recipient and the intended location of the project or activity:

3355 S Wayne Rd, Wayne, MI 48184

5. The recipient's employer identification number:

38-6037548

6. Requested amount of the legislatively directed spending item:

\$1,033,600.00

7. What is the purpose and how does the legislatively directed spending item provide a public benefit that is an appropriate use of taxpayer money?

Public Safety Departments found in the City of Wayne are seeking funds to assist in modernizing both police and fire equipment so that first responders can better serve the thousands of residents across Wayne. This funding request would allow the City of Wayne to purchase the following: 1) Fully Equipped Advance Life Support Rescue Ambulance (\$400,000) The addition of this unit will improve the reliability of the Wayne fleet, improve patient outcomes, reduce mortality and morbidity during medical emergencies, and strengthen overall community resilience. 2) Replacement of aging police laptops (\$33,600) Like other police departments found across the country, Wayne PD has suffered with recruiting and retention. The laptop fleet has negatively impacted recruiting and retention and contributed to other issues such as high maintenance costs and police employees needing to spend time with IT support.

New police laptops would decrease these costs and allow employees to focus on the core mission of public safety. 3) Encrypted Radios for the Police and Fire Departments (\$600,000) If police agencies do not have encrypted radios in 2026, they will not pass their Law Enforcement Information Network audits. However, there will reportedly be a grace period if agencies provide a concrete plan for obtaining encrypted radios. The use of LEIN is vital for law enforcement operations (i.e. determine if a vehicle is stolen, if a person has warrants for their arrest, etc.). Failing LEIN audits will lead to loss of LEIN access. In addition to the requirement to have encrypted radios in order to pass LEIN audits, agencies that do not have encrypted radios will soon not be able to use shared radio channels with agencies that have encrypted radios. Police agencies regularly need to communicate with each other, as crime and other emergencies often transcend geographic borders.

8. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received or been awarded any of the following types of funding in the past 5 years? If so, how much? Check all that apply:

N/A

Amount

N/A

9. Estimated time frame for completion of the legislatively directed spending item project:

All projects could be completed within 8 months of funds disbursement

10. Is the recipient a nonprofit corporation?

Yes

Additional Information for Nonprofit Corporations (if applicable)

The answer to questions 1 to 3 must be "Yes" for the nonprofit corporation to qualify for a legislatively directed spending item.

1. Has the nonprofit corporation continuously operated in this state for the preceding 36 months?

Yes

2. Has the nonprofit corporation had a physical office in this state for not less than the preceding 12 consecutive months?

Yes

3. Does the organization have a board of directors?

Yes

4. List all of the officers and active members on the board of directors:

John Rhaesa - Mayor Alfred Brock - Councilmember Kevin Dowd - Councilmember Donald Quarles Sr. - Councilmember Rob Darwiche - Councilmember Kathy Lawrence - Councilmember Deborah Wass - Councilmember

Certification By Sponsoring Legislator

"I certify that my immediate family members, legislative staff members, and I have no direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the requested legislatively directed spending item."

"I certify that the intended recipient of this legislatively directed spending item is not a for-profit entity."

*"I certify that the information in this form is true to the best of my knowledge."
Senator Darrin Camilleri*