



**Thomas E. Dernoga, District 1**  
**FY 2019 - Special Appropriation Grants**  
**As of June 30, 2019**

Organization Name	Amount	Grant Purpose
<a href="#">CASA de Maryland</a>	\$1,500	CASA de Maryland will use grant funds for expenses related to purchasing two new translation machines, with 30 transmitters each, for use by non-English speaking community members during public events.
<a href="#">Cherry Lane Boxing and Youth Fitness (no website)</a>	\$8,000	Cherry Lane Boxing and Youth Fitness will use grant funds for expenses related to financial assistance for youth, travel expenses, membership fees and facility expenses such as rental fees and utilities.
<a href="#">City of Laurel, Fourth of July Celebration Committee</a>	\$3,000	City of Laurel, Fourth of July Celebration Committee, will use grant funds for expenses related to supplementing the purchase of fireworks.
<a href="#">City of Laurel, MD Laurel Helping Hands</a>	\$3,000	City of Laurel will use grant funds for expenses related to cover the costs of administrative consultant services to guide Laurel Helping Hands from being a grant fund-funded program to an income-generating program.
<a href="#">City of Laurel, MD Laurel Helping Hands Credentialing Staff</a>	\$2,500	City of Laurel will use grant funds for expenses related to cover the costs of credentialing the agency and staff with health insurance providers for the purpose of third party billing for Laurel Helping Hands.
<a href="#">Community Legal Services of Prince George's County, Inc. (CLS)</a>	\$1,000	Community Legal Services of Prince George's County will use grant funds for expenses related to general operating expenses for its current programs and providing additional assistance to Prince George's County residents. Additionally, funds may be used to address the issues of high rates of foreclosure and of domestic violence in the communities.
<a href="#">Engaged Community Offshoots, Inc.</a>	\$1,500	Engaged Community Offshoots will use grant funds for expenses related to supporting its staff in demonstrating the many community benefits of producing and educating about healthy food in Prince George's County. More specifically, funds will be used to implement ECO City Farm's new 2018 -2019 program "Growing Environmental Stewards Through Urban Farming" for students in High Point and Laurel High Schools.
<a href="#">First Generation College Bound, Inc.</a>	\$5,000	First Generation College Bound will use grant funds for expenses related to general operating support to help support three programs (Homework Club, College Success and College Retention Committee) that will provide services to 1,653 students during the 2018 -2019 academic year.
<a href="#">Food &amp; Friends, Inc.</a>	\$2,000	Food & Friends will use grant funds for expenses related to providing medically-tailored, home- delivered meals, groceries and nutrition counseling to those living with cancer, diabetes, HIV / AIDS and other life-challenging illnesses.
<a href="#">Hope Connections for Cancer Support</a>	\$1,000	Hope Connections for Cancer Support will use grant funds for expenses related to new programming providing interactive, hands-on training in nutrition and mind/ body activities that help people remain strong through their cancer.
<a href="#">Housing Initiative Partnership, Inc.</a>	\$1,000	Housing Initiative Partnership will use grant funds for expenses related to supporting its Rapid Rehousing Program, which provides intensive counseling, education and support to families transitioning out of a shelter.
<a href="#">Laurel Advocacy &amp; Referral Services, Inc.</a>	\$6,500	Laurel Advocacy and Referral Services will use grant funds for expenses related to supporting the Emergency Services Program (\$4,000) to provide emergency financial assistance and food to eligible senior citizens in Prince George's County. The \$2,500 will be used to cover the salaries of two case managers who provide homeless outreach, referral services, and short-term case management to families and individuals facing a financial crisis.
<a href="#">Laurel Cats, Inc.</a>	\$3,500	Laurel Cats will use grant funds primarily for expenses related to paying vet bills for cats from Laurel for services including spay/ neuter, vaccines and emergency care.
<a href="#">Laurel Cats, Inc., fiduciary agent for Beltsville Community Cats</a>	\$3,000	Laurel Cats, Inc., fiduciary agent for Beltsville Community Cats, will use grant funds for expenses related to implementing a trap-neuter-vaccinate-return program for feral cats in Beltsville, Maryland.
<a href="#">Laurel High School PTSA (no website)</a>	\$2,000	Laurel High School PTSA will use grant funds for expenses related to providing student book scholarships, the teacher appreciation luncheon, the parent awareness program and the graduation celebration.
<a href="#">Laurel Historical Society, Inc.</a>	\$2,000	The Laurel Historical Society will use grant funds for expenses related to stabilizing and improving the historic stairs at The Laurel Historical Society.

<a href="#">Laurel Senior Friendship Club</a>	\$3,000	Laurel Senior Friendship Club will use grant funds for expenses related to promoting programs for older citizens. More specifically, these include covering the cost of annual dues for life members (88 years of age and older), a volunteer luncheon, a birthday party for 88+ members, a veterans luncheon and a holiday luncheon.
<a href="#">Liberty's Promise, Inc.</a>	\$1,000	Liberty's Promise will use grant funds for expenses related to supporting after-school programs of civic engagement at four Prince George's County high schools. The programs are held twice annually (October - December and March - May) in 10-week sessions.
<a href="#">Prince George's County Police T.E.P., Inc. (no website)</a>	\$1,000	Prince George's County Police T.E.P., Inc. (Triad, Explorers & PAL) will use grant funds for expenses related to operate and grow the Prince George's County Explorer Program.
<a href="#">Prince George's County Public Safety Assistance Program, Inc. (no website)</a>	\$1,000	Prince George's County Public Safety Assistance Program will use grant funds for expenses related to purchasing poultry, produce, canned goods and bread to fill Christmas food baskets.
<a href="#">Sustainable Communities Initiatives, Inc. dba Community Forklift</a>	\$1,833	Sustainable Community Initiatives, dba Community Forklift, will use grant funds for expenses related to increasing donorship to its Home Essentials Program to distribute free building materials, appliances and furniture to low-income residents of Council District 1 and to distribute material to District 1 residents in need.
<a href="#">The Arc Prince George's County</a>	\$1,000	ARC of Prince George's County will use grant funds for expenses related to supporting all program activities that the ARC conducts to increase community inclusion of individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.
<a href="#">Transforming Lives AJJ, Inc.</a>	\$3,000	Transforming Lives AJJ will use grant funds for expenses related to increase its capacity and efficiency by offsetting the cost of rent for a storage facility, program equipment (including laptops and software) and some indirect costs such as service fees.
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$58,333</b>	