



MICHIGAN SENATE

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

Date Submitted: 04/08/2026

1. Sponsoring legislator's full name:

Senator Dayna Polehanki

2. Cosponsoring legislators' names (if applicable):

N/A

3. Intended legislatively directed spending item recipient:

City of Westland

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

Address: 36300 Warren Road, Westland, MI 48185; Project location: Parcel #053 99 0021 000 and Parcel #053 99 0022 701, contingent upon land acquisition.

5. The recipient's employer identification number:

38-1810301

6. Requested amount of the legislatively directed spending item:

\$500,000.00

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?

The Westland Fire Department is an all hazards fire department providing advanced life support, transporting emergency medical services. We operate out of 4 fire stations to over 16,500 calls for service annually. Our Station #4 built in 1972, is currently our oldest fire station and after 54 years of service needs to be replaced. We have outgrown the current station and in addition, with the rebuild of Fire Station #1 in a location a mile north of its past location requires the strategic move of Fire Station 4 a mile north as well to provide for the best response times to the highest number of residence. While we have received some grant funding for this project, increases in build costs leaves us approximately \$500,000 short of full funding. Current build costs are approximately 600 sq/ft up from just last year when we built

Fire Station #2. To build for the future of our residents, this station should be built to house 3 apparatus and 7 personnel.

- 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:**

Federal, State

Amount

\$5,500,000.00

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

October 31, 2027

- 10. Is the recipient a nonprofit corporation?**

No

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?**

No

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

No

- 3. Does the organization have a board of directors?**

No

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

N/A

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 Dayna Polehanki*