

Rep. Mary Bono Mack - Legislative Accomplishments

District Project Funding

2009

Dec 10, 2009. \$2 million in funds for airport tower.

Oct 16, 2009. \$670,500 in clean energy funding for Hemet through the Department of Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant.

Oct 1, 2009. \$91,264 for the City of Cathedral City to support school safety through the DoJ COPS program.

Sept 22, 2009. \$765,828 in funding for the Desert Alliance for Community Empowerment (DACE) to assist with business development in the Coachella Valley.

Aug 4, 2009. \$39 million for the I-10 Corridor (Ramon Road/Bob Hope and Palm/Gene Autry).

June 4, 2009. \$326,040 for Sunline replacement clean fuel bus.

April 20, 2009. \$6 million grant for the Coachella Valley Multiple Species Habitat and Conservation Plan.

Feb 25, 2009. \$4,276,900 to help prevent homelessness through the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Feb 25, 2009. **Omnibus Funding Bill:**

- \$800,000 for the Palm Springs International Airport, to be used toward a new air traffic control tower facility to improve air traffic efficiency and help expand air service;
- \$3,349,000 for the Murrieta Creek Flood Control Project, which provides flood control for the communities of Murrieta and Temecula along with environmental restoration to help these cities guard against flood threats our region faces;
- \$275,000 for the Hemet Groundwater Plan, that will help improve water availability and infrastructure for the residents in the Hemet area;
- \$600,000 for the Keenwild Helitack Base, to be used to reconstruct this strategic firefighting base on the San Jacinto Ranger District and the Santa Rosa and San Jacinto Mountains National Monument;
- \$1,300,000 for the Santa Rosa and San Jacinto Mountains National Monument, to increase protection for lands within the Monument;
- \$50,000 for the Rancho California Water District Feasibility Study, which will help the Inland Empire deal with an identified treated water shortfall and compliment Bono Mack's legislation for a local integrated resource plan to make water more affordable for residential users while also ensuring farmers will be able to use recycled water;
- \$946,000 for the Eastern Municipal Water District, to be used to produce potable water from an otherwise unusable groundwater resource;

- \$215,000 for the Heacock and Cactus Channels project, which will provide flood control for the communities around March Air Force Base;
- \$475,000 for Sunline Transit Agency, to be used to increase service and improve access for residents, in addition to purchasing new clean, alternative energy buses;
- \$475,000 for important improvements to Interstate 10/Ramon Road/Bob Hope;
- \$570,000 for the Alameda Corridor Grade separation, which would allow the flow of traffic, reduce congestion and delays, cut down on air pollution and increase efficiency of freight transportation;
- \$380,000 for the first phase of an overpass and interchange project on 86S Expressway at Avenue 52 in the City of Coachella;
- \$142,500 for the City of Indio for the development of a local community center;
- \$100,000 for Olive Crest's Independent Living Skills (ILS) Program, which helps at-risk youth develop their educational and vocational goals, income maintenance, daily living skills and interpersonal skills;
- \$400,000 for Eastern Riverside Interoperability Communication Authority (ERICA), which involves a regional collaboration among cities in the Coachella Valley to improve public safety;
- \$190,000 for California State University San Bernardino, Palm Desert Campus, to be used to help equip a nursing lab for the school's nursing and science education program;
- \$523,000 for the Riverside County Regional Medical Center (RCRMC), which will be used by the RCRMC for the expansion of the trauma room;
- \$95,000 for Operation SafeHouse: Safehouse of the Desert, to expand the existing substance abuse services and counseling youth.

Feb 12, 2009. \$1.7 million grant for continued security improvements at PSP.

2008

Sept 19, 2008. \$1.8 million for solar grant for local solar power development through Department of Energy for Terrafore.

Sept 17, 2008. \$139,076 from U.S. Department of Commerce to assist Blythe with public radio service.

Aug 18, 2008. \$2.36 million grant through HUD for affordable Housing in Moreno Valley.

July 9, 2008. \$399,980 for Palo Verde Community College.

June 5, 2008. \$195,499 for Sunline through FTA bus replacements.

2007

Nov 15, 2007. \$1 million for Eisenhower Medical Center which was signed into law as part of DOD Appropriations.

Aug 28, 2007. FAA awarded two grants totally over \$1 million to Palm Springs International Airport.

Aug 2, 2007. \$30 million in funding for pilot projects for the Salton Sea through the Water Resources Development Act of 2007 (H.R. 1495).

Jul 27, 2007. \$1.5 million in funding for Palm Springs International Airport.

Jul 26, 2007. \$50 million for the State Criminal Alien Assistance program passed in the Commerce, Justice, Science Appropriations bill.

Jul 17, 2007. \$2 million for Murrieta Creek; \$1 million for White Water River Basin Flood Control; and \$250,000 for Rancho California Water District in the Energy and Water Appropriations bill.

Jun 27, 2007. \$500,000 for acquisition of in holdings within the San Bernardino National Forest in the Interior and Environment Appropriations bill.

May 11, 2007. \$339,381 in grants for COD for Upward Bound academic program.

Mar 30, 2007. \$1 million grant for Ducks Unlimited to help migratory birds and for enhancements at Salton Sea.

2006

Sep 27, 2006. \$1 million for Eisenhower Medical Center; \$1.2 million for Large Sapphire Production in Murrieta; and \$73.886 million for Modular Artillery Charge System in Coachella included in DOD Appropriations conference report.

Sept 8, 2006. \$6.854 million FAA grant for Palm Springs Airport through FAA discretionary Grant Program.

Jun 14, 2006. \$2 million for Palm Springs Air Traffic Control Tower; \$500,000 for Interstate 10/Bob Hope; \$500,000 for Sunline Transit Agency in Transportation-HUD Appropriations bill.

May 25, 2006. \$2 million for Murrieta Creek Flood Control; \$2,243,000 for Salton Sea included in Energy and Water Appropriations bill.

May 18, 2006. \$500,000 for Santa Rosa/San Jacinto National Monument and \$500,000 to purchase Cathon property (for Fringe-toed Lizard) in the Interior Appropriations bills.

2005

Nov 18, 2005. \$2,300,000 for PSP; \$750,000 for Agua Caliente Cultural Museum rd; \$700,000 for State Rd 79 realignment; \$600,000 for PS Tramway; \$175,000 for Agua Caliente Cultural Museum; and \$500,000 for Idyllwild included in FY 2006 Omnibus Appropriations package.

Nov 9, 2005. \$3.75 million for Murrieta Creek Flood Control; \$4.828 million for Salton Sea; \$100,000 for White Water River Basin Flood Control; \$150,000 for City of Hemet to fight crime contained in conference reports for FY 2006 Appropriations bills.

Jul 29, 2005. \$3.6 million for construction at Highway 86 at Ave 66 and funding for other local roads, including \$2.2 million for Interstate 10 and Palm Drive., contained in House-Passed Transportation Equity Act.

Jul 28, 2005. \$500,000 for Cathedral City's sewer project and \$500,000 for Santa Rosa/San Jacinto Mountains in FY 2006 Interior Appropriation conference agreement.