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\$167,500.00	Chad Austin	Stormwater Master Plan	Develop overall Stormwater Program Master Plan to determine where we should be focusing our stormwater efforts to make the most impact	9/1/2025	Watershed identification and hydrologic evaluation progressing. Water quality evaluation and desktop assessment progressing.
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\$103,700.00	Megan Krager	Bays Mountain Park -Farmstead Museum	ADA Improvements to the Farmstead Museum.	9/30/2024	Work starting July 15th, completion by end of September.
\$60,000.00	Shirley Buchanan	Senior Center - Kitchen Renovation	Building out current kitchenette into a full kitchen for teaching and catering.		Preliminary drawings are being reviewed by senior committee.
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