

Fiscal Year 2010

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education

Name of Project	Project Funding Recipient	Purpose and Amount	Location	Interest to the Taxpayer
2-1-1 Mississippi	United Way of the Capital Area	For a statewide information and referral call center for health and human services. (\$400,000)	Jackson, MS	Improved access to public services that are otherwise difficult to utilize.
21st Century Technology in the Classroom	Jones County Junior College	for purchase of equipment for technology upgrades (\$400,000)	Ellisville, MS	Increases access to modern education technology
AAA Ambulance Technology Project	AAA Ambulance Service	For equipment to improve Emergency Response treatments, patient outcomes, and to reduce medical errors (\$750,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Improved patient outcomes and decreased health care costs.
Affordable and Accessible Drug and Alcohol Aftercare	University of Southern Mississippi	To provide relapse prevention assistance to recovering addicts. (\$1,000,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Low-cost treatment of at-risk patients
American Music Archives	University of Mississippi	for research, preservation and education of American music heritage (\$500,000)	University, MS	Increases national capacity for preservation of American music
Arthur C. Guyton Laboratory Building construction, renovation, and equipment	University of Mississippi Medical Center	For construction, renovation, and equipment for a clinical laboratory building (\$10,000,000)	Jackson, MS	Improved research in numerous fields related to human health
Arts Integration Program	Delta Arts Alliance, Inc.	for arts integration education in schools (\$100,000)	Drew, MS	Increases access to arts education for underserved students
Automated Identification Technology/Automatic Data Collection Program	Mississippi Valley State University	For training in security technology (\$500,000)	Itta Bena, MS	More educated workforce in high tech field results in higher wages and increased tax base
Capps Workforce Training Center	Capps Workforce Training Center	For workforce training (\$750,000)	Moorhead, MS	More educated workforce results in higher wages and increased tax base
Center Thermal Pharmaceutical Processing	University of Mississippi	To develop new, improved and expanded drug delivery systems (\$1,500,000)	University, MS	Ensures that needed medications are able to be widely distributed quickly, efficiently, and safely.
Center for Creative Learning	Mississippi University for Women	for 21st Century Learning Systems (\$900,000)	Columbus, MS	Increases capacity for workforce development and community engagement, which will benefit economic development
Center for Economic Education	The University of Southern Mississippi	for economics education for teachers (\$200,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Increases and improves capacity for economic education in high schools
Center for Research in Creative Learning	The University of Southern Mississippi	for integration of interdisciplinary arts and science learning (\$250,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Increases art and science integrated learning and teaching
Center for Women's Research and Public Policy	Mississippi University for Women	for higher education policy research on women and girls (\$500,000)	Columbus, MS	Increases capacity for policy research on women and girls

Children's Health Education Outreach Program	Health Care Foundation of North Mississippi	For outreach programs to promote children's health and anti-obesity campaigns (\$450,000)	Tupelo, MS	Improved children's health leads to fewer health problems in the future, resulting in lower health care cost burdens on the taxpayer
Choctaw Health Center equipment	Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians	For equipment for the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indian's health center (\$175,000)	Choctaw, MS	Ensures the continuation of health services in the event of an emergency or disaster.
City of West Point Workforce Training Program	City of West Point	To increase workforce training capacity (\$250,000)	West Point, MS	More educated workforce results in higher wages and increased tax base
Community Wellness Clinic construction, renovation, and equipment	University of Mississippi	For renovations and infrastructure enhancements for a community wellness project (\$5,000,000)	University, MS	Improved health, preventative wellness, less utilization of medical resources
Community-Campus Partnership for Learning about the Delta	Delta State University	for social science workshops, training and research of the Mississippi Delta (\$225,000)	Cleveland, MS	Increase capacity for social science research in the Mississippi Delta region
Critical Understanding and Communication Literacy	The University of Southern Mississippi	For workforce training (\$500,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	More educated workforce results in higher wages and increased tax base
Curriculum and Professional Development	The University of Southern Mississippi	for curriculum and professional development at University of Southern Mississippi-Gulf Coast campus (\$1,000,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Increases educational opportunities for nontraditional students
Delta Health Initiative	Delta Health Initiative	for programs authorized under Section 219 of PL 110-61 (\$45,000,000)	Stoneville, MS	Increased access to health services, improved health education, and health research in one of the poorest areas of the nation.
Delta Music Institute Mobile Music Lab	Delta State University	for the development of a mobile music lab to provide music education in rural areas (\$1,600,000)	Cleveland, MS	Increases access to music education for underserved students
Delta State University School of Nursing construction, renovation, and equipment	Delta State University	For construction, renovation, and equipment for a School of Nursing. (\$4,000,000)	Cleveland, MS	Increased number of nurses results in improved access to health care.
Detection of Infectious Diseases Caused by Migrating Birds	University of Southern Mississippi	For research of infectious diseases transmitted by migrating birds (\$1,500,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Improved public health by increased information on where and how disease is transmitted
Down South with Dixie Press	Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College	for archive of newspaper and digital media (\$60,000)	Perkinston, MS	Improve archives of historical information damaged by hurricanes Camille and Katrina
Dynamic Dyslexia Design	3D School	for model dyslexia intervention program (\$250,000)	Petal, MS	Increases capacity for dyslexia intervention and education
Dyslexia Therapy Training Program	Mississippi College	for Dyslexia Therapy Training Program (\$250,000)	Clinton, MS	Increases capacity for dyslexia intervention and education

Economic and Community Development for Public Officials and Community Leaders Program	Delta State University	Research to create economic development plans for surrounding communities. (\$188,000)	Cleveland, MS	Improve economic development and increase tax revenue in impoverished areas.
Enhancing K-12 Science and Mathematics Preparation	Mississippi State University	for enhancing K-12 science and mathematics preparation through the development of a teacher preparation/teacher enhancement program (\$500,000)	Mississippi State, MS	Increases and improves capacity for mathematics and science education from K -12
Enhancing Science Education	Delta State University	for teacher training in science and curriculum development (\$750,000)	Cleveland, MS	Increases and improves capacity for science education
Family Medicine Physician Residency and Training Program	North Mississippi Health Services	To increase the number of Family Medicine Physician residencies (\$1,800,000)	Tupelo, MS	Increased number of Family Medicine physicians results in improved access to primary care.
Forrest County General Hospital construction, renovation, and equipment	Forrest County General Hospital	For construction, renovation, and equipment of a non-profit, safety-net hospital (\$2,500,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Improved patient access, outcomes, and health care delivery.
Gifted Studies: Continuous Progress Curriculum Model for Elementary Schools	The University of Southern Mississippi	for gifted education programs at the Frances Karnes Center for Gifted Studies (\$250,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Increases capacity for continuous progress curriculum model and research
Hancock Medical Center construction, renovation, and equipment	Hancock Medical Center	For construction, renovation, and equipment of a non-profit, critical access hospital that was destroyed by Hurricane Katrina (\$2,500,000)	Bay Saint Louis, MS	Improved patient access, outcomes, and health care delivery.
Hands-on Science and Mathematics on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway	Mississippi University for Women	for science and mathematics programs on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway (\$480,000)	Columbus, MS	Increases and improves capacity for mathematics and science education for underserved students
Heart Disease and Stroke Research	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	for continued heart disease and stroke research in the Mississippi Delta (\$6,000,000)	Mississippi Delta Region	Improved research in heart disease and stroke
Hospitality and Resort Management Training Center	Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College	For workforce training (\$500,000)	Perkinston, MS	More educated workforce results in higher wages and increased tax base
ILED Training Project	Mississippi Technology Alliance	To build regional networks to foster entrepreneurship and connect entrepreneurs to private equity (\$250,000)	Ridgeland, MS	Improved workforce alliances result in higher wages and increased tax base
Improving Science and Mathematics Education	Delta State University	for purchase of equipment for math and science lab (\$500,000)	Cleveland, MS	Increases and improves capacity for mathematics and science education
Improving Science and Mathematics Education	Blue Mountain College	for purchase of equipment for math and science lab (\$500,000)	Blue Mountain, MS	Increases and improves capacity for mathematics and science education

Jackson Transitional Job Project for the Homeless	City of Jackson	To help provide employment opportunities for hard-to-employ individuals who are homeless. (\$385,000)	Jackson, MS	Providing job training and employment decreases reliance on public programs.
Leake Memorial Hospital construction, renovation, and equipment	Leake Memorial Hospital	For construction, renovation, and equipment of a non-profit, critical access hospital (\$2,500,000)	Carthage, MS	Improved patient access, outcomes, and health care delivery.
Medication Use and Outcomes Research	University of Mississippi	For research of Medicare data (\$1,000,000)	University, MS	Improved efficiency of a Federal program
Mississippi Building Blocks	Mississippi Building Blocks	for establishment of a state-wide early childhood literacy program (\$5,000,000)	Ridgeland, MS	Provides unified curriculum for early childhood education throughout the state
Mississippi Children's Museum	Mississippi Children's Museum	for installation, exhibits and educational programming (\$1,000,000)	Jackson, MS	Increase access to interactive educational resources for children
Mississippi Delta Children's Health Project	Children's Health Fund	To provide health services to children in remote rural communities through the delivery of comprehensive primary care at public schools. housing	Clarksdale, MS	Improved children's health leads to fewer health problems in the future, resulting in lower health care cost burdens on the taxpayer
Mississippi Delta Farmworker Housing Program	Delta Housing Development Corporation	To provide temporary and emergency housing services for migrant and seasonal farm workers. (\$500,000)	Indianola, MS	Improved housing for low-income individuals
Mississippi Integrated Workforce Performance System	Mississippi State University	For a performance information system that will help people acquire and retain jobs (\$500,000)	Mississippi State, MS	Larger workforce results in increased tax base
Mississippi Learning Institute	Jackson State University	for Mississippi Learning Institute to improve reading and literacy instruction in Mississippi (\$1,200,000)	Jackson, MS	Increase literacy education for underserved students

Mississippi Organ Recovery Agency construction, renovation, and equipment	Mississippi Organ Recovery Agency	For the construction of an organ donation facility (\$5,000,000)	Flowood, MS	Promotes organ donation, thus improving health outcomes and lowering health care costs
Mississippi Primary Health Care Association Capital Improvements Program	Mississippi Primary Health Care Association	For capital expansion and improvement projects for 22 Community Health Centers. (\$4,500,000)	Jackson, MS	Improved access to health care for low-income residents
Mississippi Rural Literacy Program	Save the Children	for afterschool rural literacy program in Mississippi (\$500,000)	Jackson, MS	Increase literacy education for underserved students
Mississippi Rural Voices	Mississippi Writing/Thinking Institute	for Mississippi Rural Voices Radio (\$200,000)	Mississippi State, MS	Increases capacity for writing and literacy education for underserved children
Neshoba County General Hospital construction, renovation, and equipment	Neshoba County General Hospital	For construction, renovation, and equipment of a non-profit, acute care hospital (\$2,000,000)	Philadelphia, MS	Improved patient access, outcomes, and health care delivery.
Northwest Mississippi Community College School of Nursing construction, renovation, and equipment of Oktibbeha County Hospital construction, renovation, and equipment	Northwest Mississippi Community College	For construction, renovation, and equipment for a School of Nursing. (\$520,000)	Senatobia, MS	Increased number of nurses results in improved access to health care.
Phase II of the National Center for Natural Products Research construction, renovation, and equipment	Oktibbeha County Hospital	For construction, renovation, and equipment of a non-profit, safety-net hospital (\$1,250,000)	Starkville, MS	Improved patient access, outcomes, and health care delivery.
Pioneer Community Hospital construction, renovation, and equipment	University of Mississippi	To research and develop natural products for pre-clinical drug development and Phase II Construction (\$10,000,000)	University, MS	To expand the capacity to conduct research on the pharmacological impact of naturally occurring products to ensure consumer safety
Preparing Master Teachers of Economics	Monroe County, MS	For construction, renovation, and equipment of a critical access hospital (\$850,000)	Aberdeen, MS	Improved patient access, outcomes, and health care delivery.
Preserving & Digitizing Recordings in the Modern Political Archives at the Project ALERT	Mississippi State University	for preparing teachers to teach economics in Mississippi's high school classrooms (\$500,000)	Mississippi State, MS	Increases and improves capacity for economic education in high schools
Reaching Up for Success dropout prevention program	University of Mississippi	for preserving and digitizing recordings in the modern political library archives (\$400,000)	University, MS	Increases capacity for archiving important recordings and political information
Science Education Exhibits and Outreach Programs	Mississippi Blood Services	For the purchase of equipment for the treatment of donated blood (\$296,000)	Jackson, MS	Ensures a safe and adequate blood supply in the event of a disaster
	Jobs for Mississippi Graduates, Inc.	For drop-out prevention programs (\$500,000)	Jackson, MS	More educated workforce results in higher wages and increased tax base
	Mississippi Museum of Natural Science Foundation	for science education exhibits and outreach programs (\$320,000)	Jackson, MS	Increases access to science education exhibits for underserved children

Science through Technology and Applied Research	Piney Woods School	for science and technology curriculum development (\$650,000)	Piney Woods, MS	Increases access to innovative science education for underserved children
Southern Institute of Mental Health Advocacy, Research, and Training	Jackson State University	For research in the area of mental health affecting local communities (\$1,200,000)	Jackson, MS	Improved mental health outcomes for patients
Stroke Education and Prevention Community Network	Memorial Hospital at Gulfport	For Stroke Prevention and Education Outreach. (\$475,000)	Gulfport, MS	Improved patient outcomes and decreased health care costs.
Student Retention Initiative	The University of Southern Mississippi	for the development of a student retention initiative (\$1,000,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Increases resources for university student retention
TANF to Work and Ownership Project	Friends of Children of Mississippi	To provide self sufficiency services to low and moderate income individuals. (\$400,000)	Jackson, MS	Improved access to services decreases reliance on public programs.
Teacher Quality and Retention	The Thurgood Marshall College Fund	for the teacher quality and retention program (\$2,000,000)	Washington, DC	Increases number of qualified teachers
The Mississippi Early Childhood Bridges Project	Mississippi State University	for the development of an early childhood teacher education delivery system (\$2,500,000)	Mississippi State, MS	Provides unified curriculum for early childhood education throughout the state
Tissue Engineering Research Center	Mississippi State University	For tissue engineering research (\$2,000,000)	Mississippi State, MS	Provides an alternative to tissue donation, resulting in shorter wait times and improved patient outcomes
University of Southern Mississippi School of Nursing construction, renovation, and equipment	University of Southern Mississippi	For construction, renovation, and equipment for a School of Nursing. (\$6,000,000)	Hattiesburg, MS	Increased number of nurses results in improved access to health care.
Upgrade of Instructional Technology	Pearl River Community College	for instructional technology including the purchase of equipment (\$1,900,000)	Poplarville, MS	Increases access to modern education technology
Washington National Opera Education and Community Programs	Washington National Opera	for set design, installation, and performing arts at libraries and schools (\$500,000)	Washington, DC	Increases arts education for underserved children
**Workforce Enhancement through Graduate Technical Online	Alcorn State University	for graduate level curriculum development (\$750,000)	Alcorn, MS	Increases the capacity for graduate level workforce training

** This project was originally posted on this website on May 15, 2009. It was inadvertently deleted on June 4, 2009. It was reposted on July 28, 2009. All other disclosures required by S. 1 have been fulfilled.