

118TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 6324

AN ACT

To authorize major medical facility projects for the Department of Veterans Affairs for fiscal year 2024, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “Fiscal Year 2024 Vet-
3 erans Affairs Major Medical Facility Authorization Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF MAJOR MEDICAL FACILITY**
5 **PROJECTS OF DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS**
6 **AFFAIRS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Veterans Affairs
8 may carry out the following major medical facility projects
9 in fiscal year 2024 at the locations specified and in an
10 amount for each project not to exceed the amount speci-
11 fied for such location:

12 (1) Construction of a new specialty care build-
13 ing 201, renovation of building 18, and expansion of
14 parking facilities in American Lake, Washington, in
15 an amount not to exceed \$155,600,000.

16 (2) Expansion of clinical space for mental
17 health, expansion of parking facilities, and land ac-
18 quisition in Dallas, Texas, in an amount not to ex-
19 ceed \$93,100,000.

20 (3) Construction of a new health care center
21 and utility plant in El Paso, Texas, in an amount
22 not to exceed \$759,200,000.

23 (4) Replacement of community living center and
24 expansion of parking facilities in Perry Point, Mary-
25 land, in an amount not to exceed \$274,310,000.

1 (5) Seismic retrofit and renovation of buildings
2 100 and 101, roadway and site improvements, con-
3 struction of a new specialty care facility, and demoli-
4 tion and expansion of parking facilities in Portland,
5 Oregon, in an amount not to exceed \$613,000,000.

6 (6) Initiation of replacement of the medical cen-
7 ter of the Sierra Nevada Health Care System of the
8 Department of Veterans Affairs, including land ac-
9 quisition and preliminary site work, in Reno, Ne-
10 vada, in an amount not to exceed \$223,800,000.

11 (7) Construction of a new spinal cord injury
12 building, partial renovation of building 1, parking
13 facilities, central utility plant upgrades, and the seis-
14 mic retrofit of the existing spinal cord injury build-
15 ing 11 at the San Diego Health Care System of the
16 Department in San Diego, California, in an amount
17 not to exceed \$311,700,000.

18 (8) Construction of a new research facility,
19 parking structure, and demolition in San Francisco,
20 California, in an amount not to exceed
21 \$264,500,000.

22 (9) Seismic corrections for building 1, construc-
23 tion of a new administrative building, and expansion
24 of the outpatient clinic and parking structure in San

1 Juan, Puerto Rico, in an amount not to exceed
2 \$370,370,000.

3 (10) Phase 1 of the replacement of bed tower,
4 expansion of clinical building, consolidation of ad-
5 ministrative building and warehouse, water tower,
6 and new utility plant and parking garages in St.
7 Louis, Missouri, in an amount not to exceed
8 \$135,340,000.

9 (11) Construction of a new surgical and clinical
10 space tower, renovation of buildings 1 and 2, and
11 demolition in West Haven, Connecticut, in an
12 amount not to exceed \$153,128,000.

13 (b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
14 authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary of Veterans
15 Affairs for fiscal year 2024 or the year in which funds
16 are appropriated for the Construction, Major Projects ac-
17 count, \$3,354,048,000 for the projects authorized in sub-
18 section (a).

 Passed the House of Representatives September 17,
2024.

Attest:

Clerk.

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