

Project Summary Chart

State Capital Funds

	FY 2024	FY 2025		FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
		Request	R	Recommended	Request	Request
1. Customs House*	\$ 27,401,100	\$ 19,300,000	\$	10,000,000	\$ -	\$ -
2. Kent and Sussex Family Court Facilities*	\$ 34,320,000	\$ 25,000,000	\$	25,000,000	\$ -	\$ -
3. Reconfiguration of Justice of the Peace Court 4 Seaford	\$ -	\$ 1,050,300	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -
4. Minor Capital Improvement and	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 1,500,000	\$	911,062	\$ -	\$ -
Equipment*						
Total	\$ 62,721,100	\$ 46,850,300	\$	35,911,062	\$ -	\$ -

^{*}Funds authorized to the Office of Management and Budget.

1. Customs House

Funding is requested to renovate the historic Customs House located in the City of Wilmington. After completion, the Customs House will provide offices for the Supreme Court, Arms of the Court, and Administrative Office of the Courts, all of which are currently housed in leased space in the Renaissance Center. Additionally, the Customs House will house administrative offices for the Community Court program as well as a resource center to support Wilmington Community Courts. The current lease for the Renaissance Center expires in June 2027.

For FY 2025, the request is for \$19.3 million to address market pressure increases associated with design and construction of the facility.

Funding Schedule

	State	Federal	Other
FY 2022	\$ 15,000,000	\$ -	-
FY 2023	\$ 15,000,000	\$ -	-
FY 2024	\$ 27,401,100	\$ -	-
FY 2025	\$ 19,300,000	\$ -	-
Total	\$ 76,701,100	\$ -	\$ -



Facility Data

Present						
Location	516 N. King Street, Wilmington					
Gross # of square feet	15,879					
Age of building	168 years					
Proposed						
Location	516 N. King Street, Wilmington					
Gross # of square feet	66,900					
Estimated time to complete project	3 years					
Estimated date of occupancy	TBD					

2. Kent and Sussex Family Court Facilities

Funding is requested to continue/complete the Kent and Sussex Family Courthouse projects.

As has been previously demonstrated, the existing Family Court buildings in Georgetown and Dover have outlived their usefulness in terms of adequate size, safety, and security.

Funding totaling \$260,020,000 has been appropriated for the architectural/engineering costs and land acquisition for both the Kent and Sussex County Family Court facilities and for design, project oversight, site work, and construction.

Demolition and construction has begun in both counties and bid packages are being developed, bid and awarded for both facilities. At this time, the Courts are anticipating that the current budgeted funds will cover all costs but considering the current economy and the unpredictable nature of the RFP/RFQ process, Family Court is requesting these funds for FY 2025 as a placeholder for any unanticipated added costs or overages.



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		State	Federal		Other*		
FY 2016	\$	500,000	\$ -	\$	-		
FY 2017	\$	500,000	\$ -	\$	5,000,000		
FY 2018	\$	-	\$ -	\$	3,500,000		
FY 2019	\$	6,850,000	\$ -	\$	-		
FY 2020	\$	6,850,000	\$ -	\$	-		
FY 2021	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-		
FY 2022	\$	131,000,000	\$ -	\$	-		
FY 2023	\$	80,000,000	\$ -	\$	-		
FY 2024	\$	34,320,000	\$ -	\$	-		
FY 2025	\$	25,000,000	\$ -	\$	-		
Total	\$	285,020,000	\$ -	\$	8,500,000		

^{*} The source of Other funds is Family Court Appropriated Special Funds.

Facility Data

Present						
Location	Kent: 400 Court Street, Dover					
Location	Sussex: 22 The Circle, Georgetown					
Constant	Kent: 35,000					
Gross # of square feet	Sussex: 31,000					
Ago of building	Kent: 35 years					
Age of building	Sussex: 35 years					
Proposed						
Location	Kent: Dover					
Location	Sussex: Georgetown					
Cross # of square foot	Kent: 121,000					
Gross # of square feet	Sussex: 135,000					
Estimated time to	Kent: 2.5 years					
complete project	Sussex: 2.5 years					
Estimated date of	Kent: TBD					
occupancy	Sussex: Fall, 2025					

3. Reconfiguration of Justice of the Peace Court 4 Seaford

Funding is requested to reconfigure Justice of the Peace Court 4 in Seaford. The current state-owned facility has two small, unconnected lobbies and inefficient use of space in the clerical areas. Improvements to the facility will allow better monitoring of a single lobby by a court security officer, more space for court visitors in the lobby, better



workflow for clerical staff, additional offices, and more privacy in the justices' chambers for calls and videoconference hearings.

Funding Schedule

	State	Federal	Other
FY 2025	\$ 1,050,300	\$ -	\$ -
Total	\$ 1,050,300	\$ -	\$ -

Facility Data

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Present					
Location	408 Stein Highway, Seaford				
Gross # of square feet 4,600					
Age of building	33 years				
Proposed					
Location 408 Stein Highway, Seaford					
Gross # of square feet 5,300					
Estimated time to complete project	1 year				
Estimated date of occupancy	TBD				

4. Minor Capital Improvement (MCI) and Equipment

Funding is requested for MCI and Equipment to address facility improvements and purchase equipment as identified and recommended through an ongoing survey of the State's court facilities. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) provides construction oversight for judicial projects identified by OMB, Division of Facilities Management and the State Court Administrator.

Funding Schedule

	State	Federal	Other
FY 2024	\$ 1,000,000	\$ -	\$ -
FY 2025	\$ 1,500,000	\$ -	\$ -
Total	ONGOING	\$ -	\$ -