

State Of Maryland 2016 Bond Bill Fact Sheet

1. Senate LR # Bill #		House LR # Bill #		2. Name Of Project
lr1618	sb0207			Community Support Systems Food Pantry
3. Senate Bill Sponsors				House Bill Sponsors
Miller				
4. Jurisdiction (County or Baltimore City)				5. Requested Amount
Prince George's County				\$10,000
6. Purpose of Bill				
the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, and capital equipping of the Community Support Systems Food Pantry, including the construction and expansion of a ramp and loading dock for the food pantry				
7. Matching Fund				
Requirements: Equal			Type: The matching fund may consist of real property, in kind contributions, or funds expended prior to the effective date of this Act.	
8. Special Provisions				
<input type="checkbox"/> Historical Easement			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Sectarian	
9. Contact Name and Title			Contact Ph#	Email Address
Claudia Raskin			301-372-1491	css1995@aol.com
10. Description and Purpose of Organization (Limit length to visible area)				
Community Support Systems, Inc.(CSS) is a private, non-profit social service agency serving southern Prince George's with a continuum of critical safety-net services. These include the CSS Advocacy Program & Assistance Fund, the CSS Shared Senior Living Home, and the CSS Food Pantry Program. Our food pantries, located at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Baden, and Faith United Methodist Church, Accokeek are open a total of 3 mornings a week and provide a selection of nutritious foodstuffs, including fresh vegetables and meats.				

14. Project Schedule (Enter a date or one of the following in each box. N/A, TBD or Complete)			
Begin Design	Complete Design	Begin Construction	Complete Construction
Complete	TBD	TBD	TBD
15. Total Private Funds and Pledges Raised	16. Current Number of People Served Annually at Project Site	17. Number of People to be Served Annually After the Project is Complete	
0.00	18,565	19,000	
18. Other State Capital Grants to Recipients in the Past 15 Years			
Legislative Session	Amount	Purpose	
19. Legal Name and Address of Grantee		Project Address (If Different)	
Community Support Systems, Inc. PO Box 206 Aquasco, MD 20608		St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Baden 13500 Baden-Westwood Rd Brandywine, MD 20613	
20. Legislative District in Which Project is Located	27B - Calvert and Prince George's Counties		
21. Legal Status of Grantee (Please Check One)			
Local Govt.	For Profit	Non Profit	Federal
[]	[]	[X]	[]
22. Grantee Legal Representative		23. If Match Includes Real Property:	
Name:	Arthur E. Leitch	Has An Appraisal Been Done?	Yes/No
Phone:	301-888-2409		No
Address:		If Yes, List Appraisal Dates and Value	
17220 Aquasco Farm Road Aquasco, MD 20608			

24. Impact of Project on Staffing and Operating Cost at Project Site			
Current # of Employees	Projected # of Employees	Current Operating Budget	Projected Operating Budget
2 plus 30	2 plus 30 volunteers	64000.00	64000.00
25. Ownership of Property (Info Requested by Treasurer's Office for bond purposes)			
A. Will the grantee own or lease (pick one) the property to be improved?			Lease
B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?			
C. Does the grantee intend to lease any portion of the property to others?			No
D. If property is owned by grantee any space is to be leased, provide the following:			
Lessee	Terms of Lease	Cost Covered by Lease	Square Footage Leased
E. If property is leased by grantee - Provide the following:			
Name of Leaser	Length of Lease	Options to Renew	
St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Baden	20 years	On-going.	
26. Building Square Footage:			
Current Space GSF	12 square feet		
Space to be Renovated GSF	124 square feet		
New GSF	124 square feet + pavillion		

27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion

1950

28. Comments

8 X 8 Landing (Deck)
6 X 8 Concrete Pad
New Steps
Railings

In addition, there is a pavilion used by food pantry clients to exchange clothing, and, in good weather, used by food pantry volunteers to sort food. This 8 X 16 foot pavilion is in need of new termite-proof posts and needs to be sited on a concrete pad. This is included in the capital improvement costs.

These are state-of-the-art pantries where clients pick what they prefer. They help thousands of people in danger of food insecurity each year. A registered nurse does blood pressure/ blood sugar monitoring, and follow-up services are provided. CSS Advocacy Program & Assistance Fund help is available at our pantries, as well as at our office in Brandywine. Our goal is to help clients get as many resources as are available to improve their circumstance. Our grassroots programs depend on the people-power of 100 volunteers. CSS's mission is to provide low and moderate income families access to services, to advocate for needed services, and to establish programs and approaches that will elevate the quality of life, dignity, and independence in the community.