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March 29th, 2023

Honorable Chairwoman Kay Granger Honorable Ranking Member Rose DeLauro Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Fire Department Training Center in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Charter Township of Commerce, located at 2009 Township Drive, Commerce Township, MI 48390. The funding would be used for the construction of a dedicated fire department training center. The center would include structures and areas to be utilized for hands-on training in fire-fighting scenarios. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide facilities for continuing education for current and future fire staff for Commerce Township and surrounding fire departments in Oakland County.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C 5305(a)(2).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

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Haley Stevens Member of Congress