

March 24, 2023

The Hon. Kay Granger
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Hon. Rosa L. DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Green County, WI Family YMCA Expansion Project in Fiscal Year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is:

Green County Family YMCA, Inc.
1307 2nd Street
Monroe, WI 53566

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will support construction efforts for a 50,000 sq. ft. expansion to an outdated facility to ensure all people, regardless of age and socio-economic background, have access to life-changing health, wellbeing, development, and community support services. The enhanced facility will include a combination of renovated and newly constructed spaces including new Childcare and Youth Development Centers, Healthy Living Center, Community kitchen, fitness classrooms, and programming spaces for seniors, adults, youth and more, better enabling the facility to serve as a true rural community services hub.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

I certify neither I nor my immediate family, have any financial interest in this Community Project Funding request.

Sincerely,



Mark Pocan
Member of Congress