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The Hon. Tom Cole
Chairman
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 Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Fitchburg Area Teen Center Construction Project in Fiscal Year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is:

City of Fitchburg
5520 Lacy Road
Fitchburg, WI 53711

The funds would support the construction of a teen center in the community to meet the diverse needs and interests of teens while fostering a positive and supportive environment for their growth. The center will include space for other organizations to provide wrap around services such as job training, financial literacy, mental health services, and community meeting rooms. This project is an appropriate use of federal funds because this space will foster a thriving community by promoting health and well-being, as well as professional development skills for young adults.

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

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Mark Pocan', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Mark Pocan
Member of Congress