

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-1406

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-310, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Richmond New Fire Station project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Richmond located at 50 N 5th St., Richmond, IN 47374. The funding would be used to construct a new Fire House in Richmond, Indiana.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this project is intended to serve the community's safety and training needs for the next 50 years. One of the city's current facilities has exceeded its operational lifespan, requires constant repairs and fails to accommodate modern, larger fire apparatus. Constructing a new station is essential to modernize facilities and improve emergency response times.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,



Jefferson Shreve
Member of Congress