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Chairwoman Kay Granger
Committee on Appropriations
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Ranking Member Rosa DeLauro
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Carteret OEM Building Renovation and Expansion Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Borough of Carteret, located at 61 Cooke Avenue, NJ 07008. The funding would be used to replace Carteret's current Office of Emergency Management facilities (OEM) by renovating and equipping a designated building with current emergency operations center (EOC) technology. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will enhance the Borough's capabilities to direct and control operations in the event of an emergency.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 614 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C.5196c), as amended by section 202 of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 (9/11 Act).

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

Sincerely,



FRANK PALLONE, JR.
Member of Congress