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Hon. Kay Granger Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Hon. Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Larimer Food Incubator & Community Kitchen in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh, located at 412 Boulevard of the Allies Suite 901, Pittsburgh, PA 15219.

The funding would be used to transform 9,800 square feet of the Larimer school auditorium and gym into a full-service community kitchen, event spaces, and a small business food incubator. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide a significant economic catalyst and community asset for the Larimer community.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1) and U.S.C. 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,

Member of Congress