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The Hon. Kay Granger
Chairwoman
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Community Resource Center for Children and Adults with Developmental Disabilities, Montgomery County, Maryland, Sixth Congressional District project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Community Support Services, Inc., located at 9075 Comprint Court, Gaithersburg, MD 20877.

The funding would be used for the renovation of one section of an existing office building in Gaithersburg, MD that is owned by Community Support Services, Inc., a Maryland nonprofit 501(c)(3). This renovation will enable Community Support Services, Inc. to provide supported employment, career planning services, and recreational and vocational experiences for children and adults with autism and other severe developmental and intellectual disabilities. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will increase the workforce participation, vocational skills, and community engagement of people with disabilities in Montgomery County, Maryland and also will enable parents and family members of children and adults with disabilities to obtain or continue their outside employment.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 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.

Very Truly Yours,



Jamie Raskin
Member of Congress