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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3221

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Appropriations Committee
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Fly Creek, NY, Volunteer Fire Company in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Fly Creek Volunteer Fire Company, located at 832 County Road 26 Fly Creek, NY, 13337. The funding would be used to purchase a new fire truck to replace their almost 40-year-old 0514 Suffern.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would enhance the Fire Company's operational efficiencies and will provide the residents of the Fire Company's service area with consistent and reliable protection. The project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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

Sincerely,



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