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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 Adirondack Medical Center, NY, Dialysis Center Expansion in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Adirondack Medical Center, located at 2233 NY-86 Saranac Lake, NY 12983. The funding would be used to renovate and expand Adirondack Medical Center's dialysis treatment center and to create a patient education center to expand options for at-home dialysis.

As the only healthcare facility within 50 miles offering dialysis, this renovation and expansion project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would increase the healthcare services in the North Country, where residents have limited access and fewer treatment options. 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,

Elise M. Stefanik

Member of Congress

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