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

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the City of Aurora for the Aurora Road to Sustainability Homeownership Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Aurora, located at 44 E. Downer Place, Aurora, IL 60506.

The funding would be used for the construction of energy-efficient starter homes on vacant or unused land in low-to-moderate income neighborhoods. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve overall access to affordable and sustainable homeownership for working families in the City of Aurora.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,



Bill Foster
Member of Congress