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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Bay Area Hospital Critical Equipment project. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Bay Area Hospital, located at 1775 Thompson Road, Coos Bay, Oregon 97420.

The funding would be used to replace the Bay Area Hospital's CT scanner and cardiac catheterization lab equipment. This investment will ensure physicians can rapidly diagnose strokes and trauma cases and perform urgent cardiac interventions when minutes matter most. This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it improves reliability and capacity for lifesaving care across a region where geographic isolation already creates barriers to timely medical treatment.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized under the Public Health Service Act.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Val Hoyle
Member of Congress