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UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
ROSA L. DELAURO
3RD DISTRICT, CONNECTICUT

May 3, 2024

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for a Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Emergency Operations Center (EOC) grant for the Town of Woodbridge in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Woodbridge, located at 11 Meetinghouse Lane, Woodbridge, CT 06525. The funding would provide the town's EOC with necessary upgrades.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it seeks to make critical investments in the town emergency management and preparedness capabilities that would ensure the town can provide a comprehensive and coordinated response to emergencies.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 614 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5196c), as amended by section 202 of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 (9/11 Act).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rosa L. DeLauro".

Rosa L. DeLauro
Member of Congress