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ROSA L. DELAURO  
3RD DISTRICT, CONNECTICUT

May 9, 2024

Dear Chairman Cole, Chairman Womack, and Ranking Member Quigley:

I am requesting funding for an Economic Development Initiative (EDI) grant for Borough of Woodmont in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Borough of Woodmont, located at 128 Kings Highway, Woodmont CT 06460. The funding would assist with the repair of the Belmont Street drainage groin to prevent further deterioration that in turn will lead to the erosion of an active Army Corp of Engineers erosion control berm and FEMA category G beach that are intended to prevent the inundation of Beach Avenue and endanger private and public property along Beach Ave.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it seeks to prevent both a FEMA Category G beach recreation area and an active Army Corp of Engineers Erosion Control project from severe erosion damage caused by water runoff.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1).

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