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

May 2, 2025

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 Hamden in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Hamden, located at 2750 Dixwell Avenue, Hamden, CT 06518. The funding would build the town a new emergency operations center.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it helps to provide a coordinated and efficient response in the event of town emergencies, including by reducing response times and improve the effectiveness of emergency management.

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