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

May 23, 2025

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

I am requesting funding for an Economic Development Initiative (EDI) grant for the Housing Authority of the City of New Haven in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of New Haven, located at 165 Church Street, New Haven, CT 06510. The funding would improve the city's Westville Manor, an existing 150-unit public family housing development, with new roads, walkways, sidewalks, curbs, parking lots, lighting, landscaping and plantings, utilities, and other related infrastructure improvements.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it seeks to make critical investments that are vital to public safety and establishing much needed updates to improve the community's infrastructure, which is consistent with a primary guiding principle of the Department of Housing and Urban Development 2020-2024 strategic plan.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(4).

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