

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
United States House of Representatives
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Town of Falcon Community Center project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Falcon, North Carolina, located at 7156 South West Street, Falcon, NC 28342. The funding would be used to support the establishment of a town community center to serve the town's population, especially its youth population. The project will facilitate the renovation of commercial property in town to include education, health, and youth activity spaces.

This project is a valuable use of taxpayer dollars because it would serve a small, rural town in Cumberland County, North Carolina to facilitate community activities, including town gatherings and after-school activities for the local youth. Federal funding will support the town's growth, community stewardship, and the large population of youth at the Falcon Children's Home serving at-risk youth across North Carolina.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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

Sincerely,

