## **Congress of the United States** House of Representatives Mashington, DC 20515–3302

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Town Center Economic Development Phase I project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Morrisville, located at 100 Town Hall Drive, Morrisville, NC 27560. The funding would be used to construct Phase I of the Town Center, a 25-acre mixed-used development creating a downtown and gathering area for Morrisville that has never existed before. This project is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it is anticipated to be an engine for Economic Development in the Town of Morrisville.

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.

Very truly yours,

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Deborah K. Ross Member of Congress