

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-3302**

March 27, 2026

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 Raleigh Low Barrier Housing Rehabilitation Project in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Raleigh, located at the One City Plaza, Suite 1200, 421 Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27601. The funding would be used for a low-barrier housing resource and provide safe, non-congregate housing with supportive services. This project is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it will serve individuals who are unable to access emergency shelter, or those with medical vulnerabilities for whom remaining unsheltered is particularly dangerous.

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

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Very truly yours,



Deborah K. Ross  
Member of Congress