

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
2308 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
2413 Rayburn House Office Building
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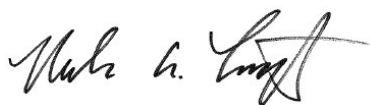
Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Olean General Hospital MRI Replacement for Rural Diagnostic Access Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for the project is Olean General Hospital located at 515 Main Street, Olean, New York 14760. This funding will be used to replace Olean General Hospital's outdated MRI system, ensuring patients have access to high-quality, timely diagnostic imaging needed for accurate diagnosis and treatment without having to travel long distances. It is a responsible use of taxpayer funds because it improves care delivery, reduces delays in diagnosis, and supports reliable access to essential medical services in a cost-effective way.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized under the Public Health Service Act.

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

Sincerely,



Nicholas A. Langworthy
Member of Congress