

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

March 27, 2026

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
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Blueprints for Brighter Futures Renovation Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for the project is Chautauqua County located at 3 N. Erie. St, Mayville, New York 14048. This project will convert an underutilized building into a fully licensed school-age childcare facility in Dunkirk, providing safe, high-quality care and educational programming for children and teens while supporting working families. It is a responsible use of taxpayer funds because it enables parents to participate in the workforce, strengthens the local economy, leverages an existing donated building, and delivers lasting community benefits in a cost-effective way.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a) (4).

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