

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3216

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for **Port Chester Village Hall Gymnasium Remodeling Project** in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is The **Village of Port Chester**, located at **222 Grace Church Street, Port Chester, NY 10573**. The funding would be used for renovations to the gymnasium and surrounding rooms to create a multi-purpose space for activities including senior recreation and emergency shelter.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the proposed project will transform the currently abandoned Port Chester Gymnasium into a revitalized indoor space with new multi-purpose rooms that will be suited for a variety of community-based activities. Additionally, this initiative would increase the functionality of the space through renovation of the gymnasium, bathroom facilities, kitchen, and storage rooms, giving it the potential to be converted into an emergency shelter.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by the project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,



George Latimer
Member of Congress