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The Honorable Tom Cole, Chair Committee on Appropriations H-307 Capitol Building Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro, Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

May 10, 2024

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Tukwila Community Center HVAC Replacement in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Tukwila located at 6200 Southcenter Boulevard Tukwila, WA 98188.

The funding would be used to install a new HVAC system at the Tukwila Community Center located at 12424 42nd Ave S, Tukwila, WA 98168. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because City of Tukwila is requesting funding for the installation of an HVAC system at the Tukwila Community Center, which will achieve many benefits, including uplifting low-income communities, addressing an urgent community need, and promoting improved energy efficiency. This project will allow the Tukwila Community Center to better serve all residents, especially youth and seniors who rely on this essential community resource.

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

I certify that neither I nor anyone in my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Adam Smith

Member of Congress