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March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Hoosick Regional Emergency Fly Car project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Hoosick located at 80 Church Street, Hoosick Falls, New York, 12090.

The funding would be used to purchase and equip a new emergency Fly Car. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because providing shortened emergency response times and expanded care is crucial to saving lives and improving the long-term sustainability of EMS services in Hoosick.

The project has a federal nexus because it is authorized under section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul D. Tonko".

Paul D. Tonko
Member of Congress