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April 29, 2022

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

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I am requesting funding for the Little Italy's Neighborhood Placemaking for Economic Development project in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is TAP Inc., located at 210 River Street, Troy, New York 12180.

The funding would be used to transform a vacant asphalt lot into a community park and piazza for neighborhood programming, events, and community gathering.

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

Sincerely,

Paul Tonko

Member of Congress