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March 13, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

It is a pleasure to serve with you on the Committee on Appropriations, and I greatly value your leadership. I am requesting funding for Fulton County Health Department to replace radiology equipment at a designated Critical Access Hospital in Wauseon, Ohio in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Fulton County Health Department, located at 606 South Shoop Avenue, Wauseon, OH 43567.

The funding would be used to replace essential medical imaging equipment for a designated Critical Access Hospital in a county where it is the only hospital. Advanced medical imaging is essential for quickly and efficiently diagnosing serious conditions and guiding lifesaving treatment. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because updated technology will ensure continued access to safe, high-quality diagnostic imaging, reduce radiation exposure, and support faster diagnosis of life-threatening conditions for rural patients.

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

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marcy Kaptur".

MARCY KAPTUR  
Member of Congress