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The Honorable Tome Cole Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking
Member
House Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Historic Reynolds School Renovation Project in Fiscal Year 2026.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Monroe County School District located at 241 Trumbo Road, Key West, Florida 33040.

The funding would be used As part of its initiative to provide affordable housing to local educators, the Monroe County School District is seeking community project funding in the amount of three million dollars (\$3,000,000.00) to support the cost of design and construction activities for restoration of the historic Reynolds School property in Key West, Florida. This is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because restoration of the Reynolds School property in this manner will facilitate the District's efforts in vacating its current administrative headquarters at Trumbo Point to allow that property to serve as a site for affordable workforce housing.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in 42 USC § 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,



