



**Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515**

May 10, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for renovation and equipment for Engine 318/Ladder 166 in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the New York City Fire Department (FDNY), located at 9 MetroTech Center, Brooklyn, NY 11201. The funding would be used for the purchase and installation of an emergency power generator at an FDNY firehouse as well as the necessary associated renovations. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will ensure that FDNY can provide critical emergency services to residents during major weather events and power outages.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,


Hakeem Jeffries
Member of Congress