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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  
2413 Rayburn HOB  
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the NYCHA Van Dyke II Older Adult Center in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the New York City Housing Authority, located at 90 Church Street, New York, NY 10007. The funding would be used to perform comprehensive roof repair work at the older adult center. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve the living space and security of the 115 tenants that currently reside at this housing development and the larger Van Dyke complex of 3,600 tenants,

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