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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 NYC Aging Older Adult Center Van Purchase in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the NYC Department for the Aging, located at 2 Lafayette Street, 7th Floor, New York, New York 10007. This funding would allow for the purchase of three new 25-person passenger vans to be used by Older Adult Centers in New York City. A number of vans used by NYC Aging funded centers are outdated and need to be updated in order to better serve the needs of older adults. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because providing transportation options for older adults is key to both ensuring they have access to centers and allows them to thrive in the neighborhoods they built so they can easily age-in-place.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(5). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Hakeem Jeffries".

HAKEEM JEFFRIES
Member of Congress