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May 2, 2025

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

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Lyndon Early Childhood Education and Workforce Development Program (Lyndonville, VT) project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Lyndon Institute, Inc. located at 168 Institute Circle, Lyndonville, Vermont, 05850. The funding would be used for the expansion of facilities for early child education and early educator training. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it fills an essential need for child care services and expanding the early childhood educator workforce.

The 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,



Becca Balint
Member of Congress