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May 3, 2024

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 Granville Fire Department Building Upgrade (Granville, VT) project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Town of Granville located at 4157 Route 100, Granville, Vermont, 05747. The funding would be used for bringing water and other basic needs to the Granville Fire Department, which currently operates without running water at its facility. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it supports a Fire Department that serves Granville and surrounding towns.

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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Becca Balint', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Becca Balint  
Member of Congress