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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Glenbrooke Community Center Renovation project for fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Goodwin University Education Services, located at 1 Riverside Drive, East Hartford, CT 06118. The funding would be used to restore the Glenbrooke Community Center, providing town residents with a seasonal outdoor recreational facility, a year-round training facility, and community programming space.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds as the Glenbrooke Community Center complex, when rehabilitated, will offer extensive physical recreation space to town residents of all ages. Not only will the project include the restoration of the historic Glenbrook Community Center building, but it will improve conditions of the fields (including addressing drainage and sewer line issues), and establish ADA compliant walkways and parking lot. The refurbished community center will be able to provide professional development and training programming for local school districts and community-based organizations in East Hartford and the Greater Hartford area.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 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 "John B. Larson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the beginning of the first name.

JOHN B. LARSON  
Member of Congress