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Chairman Tom Cole  
House Committee on  
Appropriations  
Washington DC 20515

Ranking Member Rosa DeLauro  
House Committee on Appropriations  
Washington DC 20515

May 9, 2024

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Research on Modeling Technology for Affordable Housing project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is West Chester University, located at 50 Sharpless Street, West Chester, PA 19383. The funding would be used to implement spatial modeling of geographic areas within Chester County to identify potential regions to develop and more appropriate utilize affordable housing sites using Geographic Information System (GIS) technology. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because Chester County is expanding in population and housing options are minimal, particularly for low and moderate wage earners. This technology and research study will assist municipal managers with zoning decisions.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 272 of title 15, United States Code.

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 that reads "Chrissy Houlahan".

Chrissy Houlahan  
Member of Congress, PA-06