



Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

March 24, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
House Appropriations Committee
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Harrisville Volunteer Fire Company Tanker – Harrisville, PA in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Harrisville Volunteer Fire Company located at 313 E Mercer St, Harrisville, PA 16038. The funding would be used for a new tanker truck. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the current pumper tanker has aged and is no longer reliable. The apparatus has seen many mechanical issues that do not meet the National Fire Protection Act (NFPA) 1901 standards and pose safety risk to personnel. A new tanker will support the needs of this rural community due to not having a readily adequate water supply. Harrisville Volunteer Fire Company serves in Harrisville and Mercer Township along with the surrounding municipalities.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 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,



Mike Kelly
Member of Congress