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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-3102

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations U.S. Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$2,000,000 for the Westside Emergency Housing Center Improvement project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Albuquerque - Health, Housing, and Homelessness Department located at 1 Civic Plaza NW, Albuquerque, NM 87102. The funding will be used for ADA improvements, security upgrades, and expanded capacity. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it contributes to the well-being of constituents experiencing homelessness.

The project has a federal nexus because it is authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(5).

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Gabe Vasquez

Member of Congress