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May 23, 2025

Chair Tom Cole
Ranking Member Rosa DeLauro
House Committee on Appropriations
US House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding in the amount of \$1,000,000 to the Master Leasing Homelessness Housing project in fiscal year 2026.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Indianapolis, located at 200 E. Washington St, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204.

The funding would be used for the support of funding rental assistance, which will sustain the Master Leasing Program. Funding will support the creation and leasing of 33 units in year 1 and will incrementally add new units each year until we achieve 244 units in year 5. Additionally, funds will assist in building operation costs, which will benefit the project's capacity to provide permanent supportive housing solutions for Indianapolis residents experiencing homelessness.

The initiative is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because this program is targeted as a long-term economic impact by tempering Indiana's post-degree brain drain to connect students with Indiana employers starting in middle school. It also will request Indiana employers' participation, so the workforce development program aligns with real needs

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,



André Carson
Member of Congress