

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Columbia County Stabilization Center in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Columbia County, located at 325 Columbia Street Suite 300 Hudson, NY 12534. The funding would be used for a stabilization center that would house various local providers including a mental health clinic, case management services, peer services, social services, and more. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project is for the construction of the Welcome Center which will house various local providers such as the mental health clinic, case management services, peer services which there is a strong community need for in the surrounding area.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code Sec. 1926(a).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

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Marc Molinaro Member of Congress