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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$4,000,000 to fund a new fire department in Farmville, NC. The current fire facility is 97 years old and was originally built for a 50-year life span. The current fire department is not ADA accessible, is located in a congested downtown location with no means of expansion and does not have adequate truck storage and operational space to function effectively as a modern emergency response facility. The new facility will provide adequate truck bays, equipment storage areas, office space and living quarters for efficient fire operations for decades to come.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Farmville Fire Department provides necessary services for the residents of Farmville and those in surrounding communities. With increased population growth, the current fire department is grossly outdated and the town is in desperate need of a new department.

The project has a federal nexus because eligible under 42 U.S.C. § 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gregory F. Murphy".

Gregory F. Murphy, M.D.
Member of Congress
North Carolina's 3rd District