

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515-2201

May 3, 2024

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for a project called Accelerate Affordable Housing in Northern Michigan in fiscal year 2025. The entities to receive funding for this project are Habitats for Humanity Northeast and Northwest Michigan. The Habitat for Humanity Northeast Michigan is located at 2630 US 23 Alpena, MI 49707 and the Northwest Michigan Habitat for Humanity is located at 1840 M-119 Petoskey, MI 49770. The funding would be used to for property and site preparation to support construction of affordable homes in the northern Lower Peninsula of Michigan. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would directly address the lack of affordable housing in the area.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 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,



Jack Bergman  
Member of Congress