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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Wyandot Memorial Hospital cardiac catheterization laboratory in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Joint Township District Hospital Board of Pitt, Mifflin, Crane, and Salem Townships on behalf of Wyandot Memorial Hospital, located at 885 N. Sandusky Avenue, Upper Sandusky, OH 43351.

The funding would be used for construction and equipping of a cardiac catheterization laboratory (CCL) at the hospital. Federal funding, supported by a cost match from the community, will be used to acquire capital equipment, conduct necessary renovations for the space, and purchase the software needed to effectively operate the facility. Creating a CCL will help to reduce mortality rates from preventable diseases by diagnosing and treating cardiac conditions before they become emergencies. The facility will also create and retain at least one dozen well-paying and long-term employment opportunities in a rural community.

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

Sincerely,



Robert E. Latta
Member of Congress