



CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 24, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Spaulding Family Resource Center project in fiscal year 2024.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Spaulding Family Resource Center, located at:

600 South Pine Street  
Spring Hope, North Carolina 27882

The funding would be used for the restoration and renovation of the historic Spaulding School Building to provide a venue that includes community classroom spaces, a computer lab space, a public library space, public meeting spaces for senior-citizens and children, and administrative offices for staff and collaborators. A portion of the requested funds provide for the installation of an HVAC system for the historic barrel-roof gymnasium that is used for wellness programs and youth activities. This project is a good use of taxpayer funds because it benefits the Spring Hope community as well as most of southern Nash County. The Spaulding Family Resource Center serves seniors and children, as well as local underprivileged communities.

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 section 1926(a).

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

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Don Davis  
Member of Congress

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