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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman Appropriations Committee Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Appropriations Committee Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Industrial Painting & Pre-Apprenticeship Program in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Tri-Council Development Fund, located at 1905 Sequoia Drive, Aurora, IL 60506.

The funding would be used to develop and facilitate an Industrial Painting Preapprenticeship (IPP) program in industrial painting in direct cooperation with unionized industrial painting apprenticeship programs throughout Illinois. The IPP will develop individuals, particularly women and minorities, to enter and continue in the industrial painting trade.

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

Sincerely,

Bill Foster

Member of Congress

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