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Dear Chairwoman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Merrimack Downtown Redevelopment Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Haverhill, located at 4 Summer Street, Haverhill, MA 01830. The funding would be used to support infrastructure improvements necessary to complete Phase II of the City of Haverhill's mixed-use economic development and community enhancement project. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will address serious infrastructure deficiencies which will help to revitalize the City's economy, enhance community life and connectivity, and build lasting, ADA-compliant infrastructure. This project will ensure that every member of the community can safely access the economic and educational opportunities located in Downtown Haverhill.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lori Trahan".

Lori Trahan  
Member of Congress