April 28, 2022

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
House Appropriations Committee  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Monroe County Medical Center Rural Health Services and Education Center of Excellence project in Fiscal Year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Monroe Medical Foundation, Inc., dba Monroe County Medical Center, located at 529 Capp Harlan Road, Tompkinsville, KY 42167.

The funding would be used to conduct a comprehensive feasibility study that will identify and prioritize new or expanded healthcare services while also identifying those healthcare professionals needed the most throughout rural Kentucky and central Appalachia. The information gathered from the study would then be utilized to develop a program budget and the preliminary architectural and engineering plans for the Center of Excellence.

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

Sincerely,

James Comer  
Member of Congress