

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3808

March 27, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-307, The Capitol
Washington D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Hazleton Police Department Facility Improvement project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Hazleton Police Department, located at 780 North Church Street Hazleton, PA 18201. The funding would be used to support infrastructure upgrades to the Hazleton Police headquarters to resolve existing structural issues and improve operational reliability.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide necessary improvements to ensure the Department can deliver critical public safety services, maintain resilience during emergencies, and reduce long-term operations and energy costs. The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,



Rob Bresnahan, Jr.
Member of Congress