

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

House of Representatives Washington, D.C. COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS

May 23, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Committee on Appropriations Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Boulder City Community and Science Center in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Nevada System of Higher Education, located at 2601 Enterprise Road, Reno, NV 89512.

The purposes of the project are to help the community: (a) learn techniques to produce food in arid urban environments using aquaponics; (b) develop strategies to grow and utilize native species in their landscaping; and (c) understand the importance of native plant restoration following disturbance.

The project is a responsible use of taxpayer funds because it will provide a better understanding of building sustainability and urban economic development in heat and drought impacted regions.

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

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

Sincerely,

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