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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515**

May 9, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chair  
2207 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
2413 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Olean-Kennedy Site Remediation in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Rochester, located at 30 Church St, Rochester, NY 14614.

The funding would be used to complete environmental investigation and remediation at the central block of the Olean-Kennedy redevelopment site in southwest Rochester. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this work and cleanup will enable the City to complete all environmental cleanup and site preparation activities at this long-vacant contaminated site and prepare them for infill affordable housing development consistent with community plans.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joseph D. Morelle".

Joseph D. Morelle  
Member of Congress