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

May 3, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chair  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 U.S. Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth HOB  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Childcare Center Expansion and Renovation project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Bloomsburg Area YMCA, located at 30 East 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Bloomsburg, PA 17815.

The funding would be used for renovating and expanding the facility's childcare center. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would help address the shortage of affordable childcare in Columbia and Montour counties.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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 "Dan Meuser".

Dan Meuser  
Member of Congress