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CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES  
24TH DISTRICT, FLORIDA

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

May 23, 2025

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Miramar Youth Center in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Miramar, located at 2300 Civic Center Place, Miramar, Florida 33025. The funding would be used to build a youth center in a much-needed community in the eastern portion of the city that has experienced violent and fatal crimes involving youth. This youth center will benefit not only the city's youth but also youth from surrounding Cities and counties in South Florida. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this youth center will benefit low-and moderate-income children. Additionally, this project will address and improve the community's welfare by providing the community's children with a youth center.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 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,

Frederica S. Wilson  
Member of Congress