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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting community project funding in fiscal year 2022 for the Marquette University Center for Urban Research, Teaching, and Outreach's Education Preparedness Program (EPP).

The entity receiving this funding is located at 1618 W. Wells Street, Milwaukee, WI 53233.

The entity would use funds to support the EPP, an initiative that targets justice-impacted Milwaukee residents to provide access to higher education and wrap around support needed for academic success, including career advising and employment preparation. The EPP advances Marquette's responsibility to its surrounding community to enact racial and economic justice by extending educational resources to this otherwise underserved population. Funding would be used for staff costs, to establish a Milwaukee Prison Education Consortium as a regional degree granting entity with multiple programs housed at various colleges/universities in the area and support the development of a House of Studies for released EPP students that provides scholarships, support for job training and professional development.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Gwen Moore

Member of Congress