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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Appropriations Committee H-305, the Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Downtown Deer Park Revitalization project in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Babylon located at 200 Sunrise Highway, Lindenhurst, NY 11757. The funding would be used for the blight removal, land acquisition, and construction of affordable housing and public facilities within downtown Deer Park. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will have a significant positive impact on the Town of Babylon and its residents.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1).

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

Sincerely,

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Andrew R. Garbarino Member of Congress