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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
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

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Services for Electrification, Energy Efficiency, and Resiliency in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City and County of Denver, located at 201 W Colfax Ave, Denver, CO 80202.

The funding would be used to provide comprehensive supportive services to increase the resiliency of Disproportionately Impacted (DI) Communities in Denver through home energy upgrades, energy efficiency and electrification in residential properties with a focus on low- and middle-income homeowners and deed-restricted affordable housing. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will help vulnerable, DI Communities have access to cooling in their homes to help these communities be more resilient in the face of more extreme weather and temperatures.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,



Diana DeGette
Member of Congress