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

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

Thank you for the invitation to submit Community Project Funding requests for the Northern Mariana Islands.

I am requesting funding for the Technology Infrastructure and Digital Equity Initiative in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Northern Marianas College, 1981 Finasisu Lane, Saipan, MP 96950. Funding will support the procurement and installation of telecommunications infrastructure, classroom technology, and physical security systems. This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will fully activate federally funded campus facilities and expand students' access to modern, high-quality learning environments.

The 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,


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