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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
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Room H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the AK360 Albright-Knox Expansion Greenspace Repatriation in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Buffalo Fine Arts Academy d/b/a/ Albright-Knox Art Gallery, located at 1285 Elmwood Ave, Buffalo, NY 14222.

The funding would be used to support the Albright-Knox's campus expansion and development project, AK360. Specifically, this request would expand greenspace on the museum's Elmwood Avenue campus by funding elements of a reconfigured parking system which will enhance the walkability of this main thoroughfare and establish a Great Lawn complementing the Olmsted Park System.

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

Sincerely,



Brian Higgins
Member of Congress