

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-1501

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

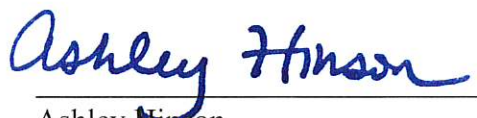
I am requesting funding for equipment upgrades at the Northeast Iowa Community College's National Education Center for Agricultural Safety in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive the funding for this project is Northeast Iowa Community College, located at 8342 NICC Drive, Peosta, IA 52068.

The funding would be used to purchase capital equipment required to train students and community members how to respond to agricultural machinery injuries and other injuries common on farms and in rural settings. Specifically, this award would fund four 4-gas monitor trainers, a Jaws of Life, an I-Sim 12-lead cardiac simulator, a 12-lead manikin, an indoor grain bin confined space trainer, a truck to tow the simulators to training sites, a crash cart, a ventilator simulator, and two medication simulators. There is strong community support for this project, including from local health care providers and emergency responders.

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

Sincerely,



Ashley Hinson
Member of Congress
Committee on Appropriations