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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
H-405, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H-405, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Spectrum Health Lakeland's expansion of clinical services offered by the Center for Better Health in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is located 1234 Napier Ave. St. Joseph, MI 49085.

The capital improvements would accommodate the expansion of clinical services offered by the Center for Better Health - located in Benton Harbor, Michigan - to include urgently needed primary and cardiac care to a medically underserved community burdened by significant unmet health needs. The improvements will include the build out of clinical and office space, purchase of medical supplies and equipment, upgrading of technology and information systems, and will augment the Center's existing services which include COVID-19 vaccinations, mental health care, health education and screening, social & legal navigation supports, and telehealth visits.

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

Sincerely,

FRED UPTON
Member of Congress