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Congress of the United States House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515–4603

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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Reducing Isolation and Improving Access to Nutrition for Older Adults in Historically Underserved Communities program in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Peninsula Agency on Aging, Inc., located at 739 Thimble Shoals Blvd., Suite 1006, Newport News, VA, 23606. The funding would be used to purchase two vans to replace existing vehicles that are eighteen years old and beyond their service life and high efficiency thermal bags to maintain temperatures for meals. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it supports the Home Delivered Meals program, safety check-ins with older adults and prioritizes individuals with the greatest need.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1).

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

Sincerely,

Robert C. "Bobby" Scott Member of Congress