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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

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I am requesting funding for the City of Woodburn's Historic Settlemier Park Improvements and Universal Playground in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Woodburn. The project is located at 270 Montgomery St, Woodburn, OR 97071.

Funds will be used for construction of a universally accessible playground as part of a larger revitalization effort, as well as new outdoor communal gathering spaces. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because Woodburn lacks access to communal gathering spaces and recreational assets, and improvement of Settlemier Park is a critical element of the overall historic downtown revitalization effort that will spur economic growth and improve quality of life in Woodburn.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1) and 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,

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Andrea Salinas Member of Congress