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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
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H-305, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Native American Health Center Medical Expansion Project in Fiscal Year (FY) 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Native American Health Center (NAHC), located at 2920 International Boulevard in Oakland, CA.

The funding would be used to expand medical exam rooms and establish an on-site community pharmacy.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would improve access to essential health care services and strengthen the local health care safety net, including by reducing wait times for primary care and pharmacy visits. NAHC would be able to serve an additional 2,000 patients annually while improving care for its existing patient population of 14,000.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized under the Public Health Service Act.

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

Sincerely,

Lateefah Simon  
Member of Congress