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House of Representatives

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The Honorable Kay Granger Chair House Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$3,000,000 for the BDC Communities project in Fiscal Year 2024 (FY24). The entity to receive funding for this project is the Burlington Housing Authority, located at 133 N. Ireland Street, Burlington, NC 27217. The funding would be used for the construction costs to substantially rehabilitate 368 affordable housing units for low-income families in the city of Burlington.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it is projected to have an economic impact of \$34.5 million and would help provide more affordable housing options in the community.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(4).

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

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Valerie P. Foushee

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