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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Inclement Weather Rescue Program in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Nevada County Consolidated Fire District, located at 640 Coyote St., Nevada City, CA 95959. The funding would be used to procure specialized winter emergency response equipment, including a snowcat, tow vehicle, tracked UTV, snowmobiles, rescue trailers, and personal protective equipment.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it reduces risk to life during winter emergencies, improves response times and emergency medical access, and enhances responder safety during severe weather events.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S.C. § 1926(a).

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

Sincerely,



Kevin Kiley
Member of Congress