



**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-3222**

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House Committee on Ways and Means  
Subcommittee on Health  
Subcommittee on Trade  
House Committee on Science, Space,  
and Technology  
Subcommittee on Energy  
House Permanent Select  
Committee on Intelligence  
Subcommittee on Defense  
Intelligence and Overhead Architecture  
Subcommittee on National  
Intelligence Enterprise

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chair  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307, the Capitol  
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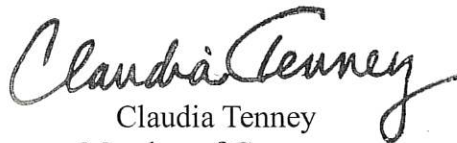
Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Schuyler County Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Schuyler County located at 105 Ninth Street, Watkins Glen, NY 14891. The funding would be used for constructing a new Emergency Operations Center to house the county's emergency management department, 911 dispatch, sheriff offices, and public health department. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because a centralized and modern Emergency Operations Center can help better serve taxpayers and visitors by reducing emergency response time and better support recovery efforts.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 203 of the Stafford Act (42 U.S.C. 5133), as amended by Section 1234, National Public Infrastructure Pre-Disaster Hazard Mitigation, of the Disaster Recovery Reform Act (DRRA) of 2018.

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

Sincerely,

  
Claudia Tenney  
Member of Congress