



**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-3306**

March 27, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-305, the Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Steelhouse Manufacturing Center in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Greensboro, located at 300 W Washington St Greensboro, NC 27401. The funding would be used to convert underutilized industrial property into a dynamic manufacturing incubator, offering right-sized bays and integrated business support. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will enable entrepreneurs to scale their businesses efficiently and sustainably, improving their chances of long-term success and job creation.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Addison P. McDowell".

Addison P. McDowell  
Member of Congress