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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Committee on Appropriations Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Healthcare Simulation Center Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Arapahoe Community College, located at 5900 S Santa Fe Dr, Littleton, CO 80120. The funding would be used for providing needed education and training for a workforce sector in crisis. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because improvement to institutional infrastructure and installation of state-of-the-art technology is of benefit to Colorado through improved student outcomes and an increase in well-prepared, local healthcare and first-responder workforce. This Center, within an open access institution, has potential benefit to all Coloradoans beyond an increased workforce, as the program will be more accessible to a broad and inclusive student population. Investment in higher education, particularly in open access community colleges benefits individuals, communities, families, industry, and higher education overall.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,

Jason Crow Member of Congress