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Congress of the United States
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for Expanding Services to Domestic Violence Victims in Adams County in Fiscal Year 2022. This request is for the Byrne Justice Assistance Grants (JAG) account. The entity to receive funding for the project is Adams County, located at 4430 S. Adams County Parkway, Brighton, CO 80601.

Adams County is seeking \$2,000,000 to improve services for domestic violence victims. Adams County lacks important, necessary services for victims of domestic violence and the need for such services is greater than ever. This project would startup a multidisciplinary Domestic Violence High Risk Team to provide life-saving and comprehensive services to domestic violence victims. The project funds the necessary attorneys and staff to provide these services, as well as funding hotel vouchers to provide temporary shelter for victims who cannot safely return to their homes.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds. As one of the fastest growing counties in the United States, the need for domestic violence services in Adams County is great. The COVID-19 pandemic has exacerbated this problem even further. This funding would help Adams County provide consistent, comprehensive, and life-saving services, and dramatically improve their ability to serve victims of these horrible crimes.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project. I appreciate your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jason Crow".

Jason Crow
Member of Congress