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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Thousand Oaks Transitional Homeless Housing Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Thousand Oaks, located at 2100 E. Thousand Oaks Blvd. Thousand Oaks, CA 91362.

The funding would be used for completing the final phase of the Thrive Grove Navigation Center (transitional housing) with twenty additional units. Addressing homelessness is one of the City's top goals. In May 2025, the City of Thousand Oaks launched Thrive Grove at 1205 Lawrence Drive—the city's first dedicated navigation center. Developed on city-owned land in partnership with the County of Ventura, Hope the Mission, Many Mansions, and DignityMoves, the center was designed to move beyond traditional emergency sheltering. By providing 20 individual modular units, it established a "low-barrier" gateway for unhoused residents to transition into permanent housing. Thrive Grove serves unhoused individuals within the City of Thousand Oaks. It acts as a comprehensive "one-stop shop" for those seeking to escape the daily trauma of survival. Residents receive on-site case management and workforce training; drug and alcohol treatment programs; and essential facilities (meals, laundry, restrooms, and computer stations). The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it meets one of the national goals to address low and moderate-income housing by creating additional transition housing opportunities for homeless individuals in the region. 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 blue ink that reads "Julia Brownley".

JULIA BROWNLEY
Member of Congress