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THE UNITED STATES AND THE  
CHINESE COMMUNIST PARTY

May 8, 2024

The Honorable Tom Womack  
Chairman  
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing  
and Urban Development, and Related  
Agencies  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Mike Quigley  
Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing  
and Urban Development, and Related  
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Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
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Dear Chairman Womack and Ranking Member Quigley,

I am requesting funding for the Ward 10 (NORA) Economic Revitalization Recovery Development Project in the fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Cleveland Ward 10, located at 601 Lakeside Avenue, Rm. 227, Cleveland, Ohio 44114. The funding will be used to construct two recovery and six permanent supportive houses for inner-city Cleveland residents in treatment or recovery from substance use and co-occurring substance use and mental health disorders. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will increase employment for the City of Cleveland's residence and the program participant recipients will show improvement in all areas of the National Outcome Measures using the Federal Department of Health and Human Service Matrix.

The project has a Federal nexus because it is eligible under 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,



Shontel M. Brown  
Member of Congress