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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Mills Crossing Housing Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Kitsap Community Resources, located at 845 8th Street, Bremerton, WA 98337. The funding would be used to acquire Mills Crossing, a brand-new facility which will serve 140 - 170 low-income residents of Kitsap County who are seeking affordable housing. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because Kitsap County and the entire region has a housing shortage which has created a crisis across all demographics, especially among the most vulnerable citizens.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1).

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

Sincerely,



Derek Kilmer
Member of Congress