April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC  20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC  20515

Dear Chairman DeLauro and Ranking Member Cole:

I am requesting funding for the Apprenticeship Pathways to Resolve Inequity for Access project in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is located at:

Finishing Trades Institute of the Upper Midwest  
3205 Country Drive  
Suite #150  
Little Canada, MN 55117

The funding would be used for:

The funding would be used for expanding a workforce pipeline of middle and high school students, high school graduates, and other young adults candidates for construction, manufacturing, and industrial Registered Apprenticeship programs through partnerships with community organizations, public and charter school educators, employers, associations, unions, and advocacy groups in order to target underserved populations in Minnesota’s 4th district. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Betty McCollum  
Member of Congress