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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting \$400,000.00 in fiscal year 2023 community project funding for "Fine Arts Work Center, Provincetown Art Association and Museum, Truro Center for the Arts: Cultural Programming on the Outer Cape for Tourism and Economic Development" located in Provincetown, MA. The entity to receive funding is the Fine Arts Work Center in Provincetown, Inc. with offices located at 24 Pearl Street, Provincetown, MA 02657.

This project will provide a one-time funding investment that will support arts and culture programming that benefits the Outer Cape community, promotes the arts, enhances tourism, and drives economic development. In addition, it will underwrite critical infrastructure upgrades and staff training opportunities to support hybrid programming and accessibility measures.

This funding is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it will allow vulnerable populations to continue to engage in the arts on the Outer Cape through supporting virtual capacity, allowing the organization to continue to engage a diverse audience within and beyond their physical spaces.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely

William R. Keating Member of Congress