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Hon. Kay Granger, Chairwoman
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

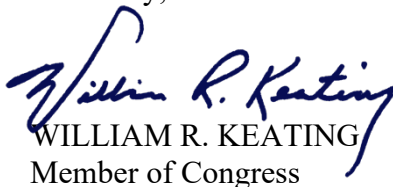
I am requesting funding for the **Workforce Training and Development Center, City of New Bedford, Bristol County, Massachusetts, 9th Congressional District Project** in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is **The Boys & Grils Club of Greater New Bedford**, located at **166 Jenney St, New Bedford, MA**. The funding will be used to restore of the 3,530 square foot second floor of the existing facility that will result in a clean, modern space that will support workforce training meetings. Additional components of the project include repairing the existing elevator to ensure accessibility and improvements to the building monitoring systems to comply with current building codes.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will allow the Boys & Girls Club of New Bedford to train the next generation of workers ready to meet the needs of emerging industries within the city.

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,


WILLIAM R. KEATING
Member of Congress