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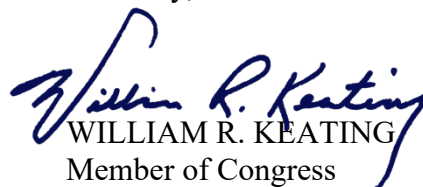
Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Gosnold Fire Equipment & Storage Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Gosnold located at 28 Tower Hill Road, Cuttyhunk, MA 02713. The funding would be used to modernize the fire and emergency response infrastructure in the smallest community in Massachusetts through the purchase of a fire engine, acquisition of a maritime emergency response vessel, and construction of a new Fire/Rescue and Department of Public Works facility on the island of Cuttyhunk. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will ensure that first responders have the vehicles necessary to fight fires on the island as well as to support medical evacuations and emergency maritime response and protect municipal assets.

This project has a federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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