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April 28, 2022

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro Chair House Appropriations Committee H-307, The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting \$813,750 for the McCammon Fire Station in McCammon, Idaho in the FY 2023 Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill.

The project sponsor for this project is the City of McCammon located at 802 Front Street, McCammon, ID 83250.

The funding is designated to assist in the construction of a new fire station in McCammon.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. The current station lacks space and function to meet the needs of the growing community safely and effectively. It was originally built to serve as a maintenance shed and currently has no running water, and no insulation. Cramped quarters have limited the ability to upsize equipment and effectively deploy engines due to lack of maneuverability. As a result, the current fire station lacks space and function to meet the needs of the growing community safely and effectively. A new facility would allow for increased volunteerism, a site for an ambulance, and allow the city to recruit more firefighters and increase training for the volunteers.

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

Sincerely,

Mike Simpson April 28, 2022