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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting community project funding for the Mammography Unit Equipment project in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Mt. Graham Regional Medical Center (MGRMC), located at 1600 S. 20th Ave, Safford AZ 85546.

The funding would be used for the replacement of costly aging mammography equipment at the Mt. Graham Regional Medical Center, a Critical Access Hospital. This funding would offer early cancer detection, reduced mortality rates, and enable less invasive treatment options by treating cancer earlier. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because mammograms are the most effective tool for early detection of breast cancer, often identifying tumors up to three years before they can be felt.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized under the Public Health Service Act.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Juan Ciscomani

Member of Congress