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March 27, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the **Memphis Homeless Veterans Homes Renovation Project** in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the **City of Memphis**, located at **125 North Main Street, Room 608, Memphis, TN 38103**. The funding would be used **for renovations to support homeless veterans' housing**.

It is an appropriate use of taxpayer money because **it addresses the growing need for affordable, housing for U.S. military veterans in Memphis and Shelby County**.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,



Steve Cohen
Member of Congress