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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 **Shelby County Affordable Housing Project** in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is **Shelby County, TN**, located at **160 N. Main Street Suite 600, Memphis, TN 38103**. The funding would be used to **create affordable energy-efficient and climate-resilient homes and provide home repair grants to seniors**.

It is an appropriate use of taxpayer money because **it helps create additional affordable home ownership opportunities and helps seniors maintain their homes by minimizing energy costs**.

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