

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

March 20, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Daviess County Emergency Operations Center in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Daviess County Fiscal Court, located at 212 St. Ann Street, #202, Owensboro, KY 42303. The funding would be used towards construction of an emergency operations center centralized in a public safety facility. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would improve emergency response times, enhances public safety, and provides a resilient facility to protect residents during disasters while support regional and state emergency coordination.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 614 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5196c), as amended by section 202 of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 (9/11 Act).

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

Sincerely,



Brett Guthrie
Member of Congress