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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

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I am requesting funding for the PA3 Technical Skills Training in Energy community project funding request in the fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Energy Coordinating Agency of Philadelphia, Inc. (ECA) located at 106 W. Clearfield Street. Philadelphia, PA 19133.

The funding would be used to address the issue of diversity in the skilled trades as it remains appallingly low. ECA will train a total of 80 diverse, underserved PA3 residents for high demand occupations in energy. As part of the program, trainees will install heat pump water heaters in the homes of up to 65 underserved, minority families in PA3, thereby increasing the families' home safety and affordability.

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

Sincerely,

**Dwight Evans** 

Member of Congress