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The Honorable David E. Price  
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The Honorable Mario Diaz- Balart  
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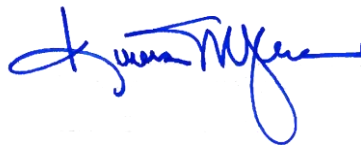
Dear Chair and Ranking Member:

Pursuant to the processes outlined by the U.S. House Committee on Appropriations and the U.S. House of Representatives, I am requesting funding for "Patuxent Commons" in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Mission First Housing Development Corporation located at 1330 New Hampshire Ave NW #116, Washington, DC 20036.

The proposed \$500,000 would be used to "adapt an award-winning housing model in which neighbors of different ages, abilities and incomes commit to providing one another with reciprocal social support. The project will be the first of its kind in Maryland and one of the first in the country to utilize this community-based approach to supporting adults with disabilities."

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

Sincerely,



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Member of Congress