

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

May 2, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
2358-A Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
2358-A Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Critical Cancer Care Enhancements in Wayne County for Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Wayne County Hospital., located at 417 S. East Street, Corydon, Iowa 50060. The funding would be used to purchase a linear accelerator, a critical cancer treatment device that will allow patients in rural IA-03 to receive radiation therapy locally. Currently, patients must travel over 65 miles for care, resulting in delays, missed treatment, and higher cancer mortality rates. This investment will save lives, reduce strain on the regional healthcare system, and expand access to lifesaving care for underserved communities in the district.

This project has a federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Zach Nunn".

Rep. Zach Nunn (IA-03)