

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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 **Metropolitan L Apartments Project** in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Chicago Department of Housing, located at 121 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60602.

The funding would be used to add approximately 96 new family-sized apartments at stable rent levels, Metropolitan L Apartments will help long-time residents remain in the Logan Square community, stay close to schools and jobs, and provide housing options for lower- and fixed-income families.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it expands access to safe and stable housing, promotes neighborhood revitalization, and contributes to local economic development by broadening the tax base.

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,



Delia C. Ramirez
Member of Congress