## **Congress of the United States** House of Representatives Mashington, DC 20515–3008

March 31, 2023

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Urban League of Union County Workforce Project in Fiscal Year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Urban League of Union County, located at 1139 E. Jersey St., Suite 515, Elizabeth, New Jersey. The funding would be used to construct and acquire a facility for workforce development programs for underserved communities, including low-income individuals and returning citizens in Union County. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would increase access to training programs and other services for vulnerable communities.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1) and 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,

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Robert J. Menendez Member of Congress