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Subcommittee On Capital Markets
Subcommittee On Financial Institutions And Monetary Policy
Subcommittee On Digital Assets, Financial Technology, And Inclusion

April 28th, 2025

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Board of Education of the City of Chicago for the Sutherland Elementary School Outdoor Space, located at 10015 S Leavitt St, Chicago IL 60643.

The funding would be used to build an artificial turf field at Sutherland Elementary School and stormwater systems beneath the surface that would filter rainwater into the storm sewer systems and decrease flooding near Sutherland Elementary. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it benefits the wider community and meets a compelling local need consistent with statutory purposes.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by U.S.C. 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,

Sean Casten

Member of Congress