

The Honorable Sarah McBride
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House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

House Foreign Affairs Committee
Subcommittee on Europe
Subcommittee on Oversight
& Intelligence
House Space, Science, and
Technology Committee
Subcommittee on Research and
Technology

March 18, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$315,000 for the Delmar Ambulance project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive the funding for this project is Delmar Fire Department Inc., located at 301 E. Grove St., Delmar, DE 19940.

The funding would be used to purchase a replacement ambulance for its emergency medical services fleet to maintain reliable emergency response capacity across its growing fire district in a rural area.

This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because emergency response vehicles experience accelerated wear from frequent stops, heavy onboard equipment, and constant service demands. Replacing this ambulance will help avoid breakdowns, reduce maintenance costs, and protect continuity of lifesaving care.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for 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 has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'S. McBride', written in a cursive style.

Sarah McBride
Member of Congress