

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-0303**

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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
Washington, D.C. 20515

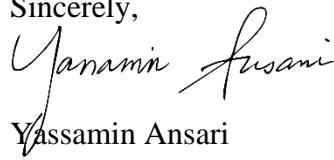
The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Axiom Community of Recovery Transition to Recovery and Reentry project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Axiom Community of Recovery, located at 3030 N. Central Avenue, Suite 506, Phoenix AZ 85012. The funding would be used for salaries, rental assistance, and forensic peer support training to provide more in-depth employment activities and assist with housing placements for individuals on probation and parole. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it offers accessible, structured training that builds confidence, skills, and job readiness for those who have a criminal history and are challenged by substance abuse or mental health disorders. Increasing self-sufficiency contributes to reduced use of public benefits, and in the long-term will also help lower the amount of taxpayer funds spent on corrections, law enforcement, and social services.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 34 U.S.C. § 10152. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Yassamin Ansari  
Member of Congress