



Jared Golden
Congress of the United States
2nd District of Maine

March 13, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Appropriations Committee
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
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Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Orland Fire Department in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Orland, Maine, located at 25 School House Road, Orland, Maine 04472. The funding would be used to acquire a modern fire tanker truck for the Orland Fire Department.

The project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because the new tanker truck would allow the Fire and Rescue Department to function effectively and protect the many homes and businesses in Orland and its mutual aid partners throughout Hancock County.

This project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jared F. Golden".

Jared F. Golden
Member of Congress