

HONORABLE MIKE CAREY
15TH DISTRICT OF OHIO



CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515

April 30, 2024

The Honorable Chairman Cole
Chairman, House Committee on
Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Ranking Member DeLauro
Ranking Member, House Committee on
Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Depot at Public Square Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Plain City, Ohio at 800 Village Boulevard P.O. Box 167 Plain City, OH 43064. The funding would be used to complete the Depot at Public Square project, which is centrally located within the Village and a natural community gathering area. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the completion of this project would provide several community benefits, such as: preservation of a historic train depot, provide a new community space where none currently exists, increases travel and tourism to the area which will benefit the local and regional economy, create a public multipurpose community center facility that will be accessible throughout the year, and create educational opportunities for visitors and residents regarding the importance of historic preservation.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Carey".

Mike Carey
Member of Congress