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The Honorable Tom Cole, Chairman  
House Appropriations Committee

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro, Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for San Francisco SafeHouse – Housing for Human Trafficking Survivors in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is San Francisco Commission on the Status of Women, located at 25 Van Ness Avenue, Suite 240, San Francisco, CA 94102. The funding would be used to convert 101 Gough Street to safe, affordable, permanent, supportive housing for unhoused women experiencing sex trafficking. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would not only provide safe housing for survivors but intergenerational stability for their children, thus breaking the cycle of homelessness and vulnerability to revictimization.

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.

best regards,



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Speaker Emerita