Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Chicago Public Schools Program Revitalization in the fiscal year 2022 Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies bill.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Chicago Public Schools. The eligible schools include: Talcott Elementary School (ES) for Fine and Performing Arts (1840 W Ohio St., Chicago, IL 60622); Tubman ES for Fine and Performing Arts (2851 N. Seminary Ave., Chicago, IL 60657); Ravenswood ES for Fine and Performing Art (4332 N. Paulina St., Chicago, IL 60613); Pritzker ES for Fine and Performing Arts (2009 W. Schiller St., Chicago, IL 60622); Otis ES for Personalized Learning (525 N. Amour St., Chicago, IL 60642); and De Diego ES for Personalized Learning (1313 N. Claremont Ave, Chicago, IL 60622).

The funding would be used for schools that would significantly benefit from capital improvement investments targeting specific needs of each institution. By enhancing the physical environment students will be able to better engage in the school’s academic programming. Specifically, it will allow a STEM school to modernize a STEM lab; a Fine and Performing Arts program to update the flexible performing art space; and investments in classroom technology and furniture for students to engage in a choice-based learning environment tailored to their needs.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Mike Quigley