

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

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

April 27, 2022

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the CPLC Small Business Assistance in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is CPLC Nevada at 555 N. Maryland Pkwy Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

The purpose of this project is to help remove barriers that businesses are facing as they face changing economic conditions including supply chain, inflation, food and fuel rising costs. Many businesses lack the resources or skills necessary to adequately maintain their financial recordkeeping resulting in the inability to access vital programs like the Paycheck Protection Program and EIDL which lead to increases in economic disparity for this community. By introducing the Promotora model, fusing community with direct business support resources, we believe that members of this community will have greater success in accessing the opportunities their businesses need to thrive. In return, this creates strong economic impact through job creation and sales tax revenues and promotes stronger communities that are more resilient to displacement. This funding would provide 10 hours of direct bookkeeping and business support services to 250 businesses in the District.

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

Sincerely,

Congressman Steven Horsford

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