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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-1310**

May 22, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-305, the Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$800,000 in funding for the Waukegan Park District Adaptive Recreation Project at Roosevelt Park in fiscal year 2026.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Waukegan Park District, located at 1324 Golf Road, Waukegan, IL 60087. The funding would be used to replace the existing playground with a larger, more inclusive playground to accommodate individuals with special needs and physical disabilities.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it facilitates the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, or installation of public works, facilities, and sites or other improvements. The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 5305(a)(2).

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 "Bradley S. Schneider".

Bradley S. Schneider  
Member of Congress