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April 27, 2022

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Dolly Parton Imagination Library and United Way Readers in New Britain in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is United Way of Central and Northeastern Connecticut, located at 30 Laurel Street, Hartford, CT 06106.

The funding would be used to provide under-resourced communities in New Britain with additional literacy supports necessary to move the needle on school readiness and grade-level reading through the Dolly Parton's Imagination Library (DPIL) and United Way Readers programs.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jahana Hayes".

Jahana Hayes  
Member of Congress