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Washington, DC 20515

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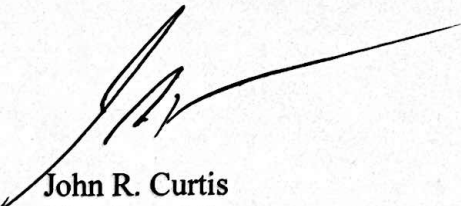
The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for an expansion of the Blue Mountain Hospital in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Blue Mountain Hospital, located at 802 S 200 W, Blanding, UT 84511. The funding would be used for hospital expansion to meet the growing needs of underserved Utahns. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the proposed expansion would increase access to services and allow for the introduction of new services to meet the needs of this very rural and underserved population. The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



John R. Curtis
Member of Congress