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Washington, D.C. 20515*

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April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro,
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for San José Public Library Caregiver Training for Digital Inclusion in Fiscal Year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of San José – San José Public Library, located at 150 East San Fernando Street, San José, California 95112. The project would operate across many library branches including the Bascom Branch Library at 1000 South Bascom Avenue, San José, California 95128; the Cambrian Branch Library at 1780 Hillsdale Avenue, San José, California 95124; and the West Valley Branch Library at 1243 San Tomas Aquino Road, San José, California 95117. The funding would be used for providing the professional training and access to technology necessary for family, friend, and neighbor caregivers to meet the needs of underserved children in San José. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Anna G. Eshoo
Member of Congress

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Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Kay Granger:

I am requesting \$750,000 in funding for the City of San Jose's Digital Inclusion, Virtual Learning, and Caregiver Support program in FY22. The entity to receive funding for this project would be the San José Public Library (SJPL), which is located at 150 E. San Fernando Street in San Jose, California 95112. SJPL will have citywide participant recruitment, and offer programming at various branches including the Alviso Branch at 5050 N 1st St, San Jose, CA 95002, Berryessa Branch at 3355 Noble Avenue, San Jose, CA 95132, and Educational Park Branch at 1771 Educational Park Dr. San Jose, CA 95133.

This funding would be used to build on San José Public Library's successful pilot program to serve the most vulnerable children in our community by providing professional training for family, friend, and neighbor (FFN) caregivers of children under the age of six. The funding would allow for expanded digital inclusion and technology support for caregivers to access virtual programming and additional resources to enhance the care they provide.

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

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Ro Khanna