

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
Washington, DC 20515-4403

**Project Name:** Wasatch Front Regional Public Safety Firearms Training Facility

**Recipient:** City of Cottonwood Heights

**Address:** 2277 Bengal Blvd, Cottonwood Heights, UT 84121

**Amount Requested:** \$4,775,000

**Project Explanation:** The funding would be used for a shooting range that serves the entire Wasatch Front. This facility includes a unique "shoot-don't shoot" component, which is not a video simulator but a live fire training with a scene projected on an impact wall that tracks rounds fired and projectile trajectories. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the facility provides resources for de-escalation, non-lethal force, and public order unit training. This training facility will help ensure officers and citizens to effectively respond in dangerous situations.

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May 2, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chair  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

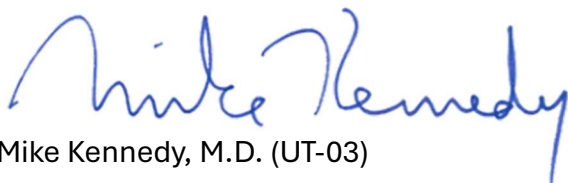
Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Wasatch Front Regional Public Safety Firearms Training Facility in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Cottonwood Heights, located at 2277 Bengal Blvd, Cottonwood Heights, Utah 84121. The funding would be used for a shooting range that serves the entire Wasatch Front. This facility includes a unique "shoot-don't shoot" component, which is not a video simulator but a live fire training with a scene projected on an impact wall that tracks rounds fired and projectile trajectories. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the facility provides resources for de-escalation, non-lethal force, and public order unit training. This training facility will help ensure officers and citizens to effectively respond in dangerous situations.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 1701(b)(8) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(8)).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Mike Kennedy, M.D. (UT-03)

Member of Congress