

July 31, 2023

Update Re: Targeting by Congressional Republicans

We have important news to share!

Last week, after learning that House Republicans had removed The Pryde's Community Project Funding from the HUD appropriations bill, Senator Elizabeth Warren's and Senator Ed Markey's offices reached out to us. With their help, we submitted a proposal for Congressionally Directed Funding for The Pryde's Community Center to be included in the pending Labor, Health & Human Services budget bill. Last Thursday the Senate Appropriations Committee approved the bill with \$850,000 designated for programming and services for our residents and communities at The Pryde's Community Center. This bill must still be approved by the Senate as a whole and then reconciled with the House bill.

We're celebrating this historic moment but we know that NOTHING is guaranteed. This is only the first step in a long and uncertain journey to secure the federal support our seniors so richly deserve and for which The Pryde qualifies. While we don't know what the future holds, please join us in thanking our incredible U.S. Senators for their continuing commitment to The Pryde and for stepping up to help correct a terrible wrong.

## Call or email them here:

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