Homeland Security
FY 2022
Certification Letters
April 30, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

“I am requesting funding for the City of Redlands Emergency Operations Center Improvement Project in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Redlands located at 35 Cajon Street, Redlands, California 92373.

The funding would be used to address operational and functional needs at the Emergency Operations Center to ensure the facility is prepared to respond to any catastrophic events, including earthquakes and fires, in the Inland Empire.

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

Sincerely,

Pete Aguilar
Member of Congress
The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
Room H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for North Attleborough’s Ten-Mile River Dredging Project to Mitigate Flooding.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of North Attleborough, located at Whiting Street, North Attleborough, MA 02760.

The funding would be used to dredge the entire 9,200-foot length between Whiting’s Pond and Falls Pond, includes two State maintained culverts, re-establish two small overflow ponds and repair stone walls. The Town has prioritized this issue in the Town’s approved Hazard Mitigation Plan and this mitigation project is the greatest priority in the Town’s Municipal Vulnerability Preparedness Plan. The overall goal of this project is to restore the riverway’s capacity and abate systematic flooding in the downtown area that has caused repetitive damage and safety issues as both the Fire and Police Departments are adjacent to the River and could be delayed due to flooding that makes main roads impassable.

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

Sincerely,

[Signature]

JAKE AUCHINCLOSS  
Member of Congress  
April 28, 2021
The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
Room H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Somerset Emergency Dam Improvements.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Somerset Water Department, located at County Street, Somerset, MA 02726.

The funding would be used to improve the Somerset reservoir dam, which was created in 1964, and is the primary source of drinking water for the town. The anticipated approach will be to provide greater capacity to accommodate larger storm events up to and including the ½ Probable Maximum Flood including raising the level of the dam crest to prevent overtopping during the SDF event. Per the Flood Control and Improvements to the Somerset Reservoir Dam study, it was found that raising the dam to El. 60 was sufficient to prevent overtopping during the SDF event with 0.0 feet of freeboard reaming at the dam. This correlates to 1.8 feet above the design top of dam (El. 58.2) and between 0.4 and 2.0 feet above the current / as-built top of dam (El. 52.0 – 59.6). If 0.2 feet water over topped the dam, this event would lead to erosion and dam failure and should flow runs along the toe of the dam causing erosion and destabilization of the dam. The proposed dam enhancements incorporate nature-based solutions. The enhancements will be designed to work with storm flow and better control and diffuse flow. Utilizing sod and stone to stabilize the earthen structures and require only annual mowing to maintain, similar to that which is currently utilized for the existing dam.

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

Sincerely,
JAKE Auchincloss
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021
April 27, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Advancing the development of a seismically resilient runway at PDX in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Port of Portland, located at 7200 NE Airport Way, Portland, OR 97218. The funding would be used to support the design and development work necessary to create a seismically stable south runway at Portland International Airport.

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

Sincerely,

Earl Blumenauer
Member of Congress
April 27, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations  
2358-B Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Astoria Pre-Disaster Landslide Storm Drainage Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Astoria located at 1095 Duane Street, Astoria, Oregon, 97138.

The funding would be used for design and construction of the new storm water system which will help prevent future landslides by removing excess water from slide-prone terrain.

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

Sincerely,

Suzanne Bonamici
Member of Congress
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting $2,620,128 for Alton, Illinois Flood Relief and Recovery in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Alton, located at 101 East Third Street Alton, Illinois 62002.

The funding would be used for the City of Alton to provide flood protection for its retail and industrial businesses to allow them to continue operations in times of high water and help these businesses be more resilient and grow. The project is to construct a permanent flood wall along Sugar Alley between State Street and US 67 (Piasa Street). It will also construct valves in the combined sewer area along West 3rd Street and seal old, non-functioning connections to the Piasa Sewer. They will isolate storm sewer inlets on the streets by installing shut-off valves that can be closed during high river stages. Construct a permanent pump station near the 3rd Street fountain. Finally, the project will reconstruct Chessen Lane by performing ditching, replacing culverts and reconstructing the roadway to industrial area.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have the following benefits. The City spent $400,000 in 2019 building the wall, while still incurring $4,000,000 in property damage with the knowledge that four of the top 10 flood events on record have occurred since 2013. These more frequent occurring floods are affecting 45 buildings (90% occupancy) and 23 residential units, 25 businesses and 2 public institutions along with 4 industrial businesses with employment over 330. The temporary flood wall has been keeping the surface water out of the businesses and a permanent flood wall will do the same along with addressing the sewer issues, while saving city man power and resources of building the flood wall every time the water comes up and allowing regular work to be accomplished.

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

Sincerely,

Mike Bost
April 30, 2021

House Appropriations Committee
Homeland Security Appropriations Subcommittee
RHOB 2006
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman Roybal-Allard & Ranking Minority Member Chuck Fleischmann:

I am requesting $350,000 in funding for the Town of Longboat Key, Florida, for a flooding mitigation project, in Fiscal Year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Longboat Key, Florida, located at 501 Bay Isles Road, Longboat Key, FL 34228.

I am submitting this Community Project Funding request on behalf of the Town of Longboat Key. The funding will enable the Town to elevate a roadway to mitigate against flooding that negatively impacts both first responder access and local resident access. The roadway is also adjacent to fringe mangrove forests and a bayou area directly connected to Sarasota Bay. Elevating the roadway is also intended to preclude harmful impacts to the forests and the Bay.

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

Sincerely,

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Vern Buchanan
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
2362-B Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Johnson Rock Revetment Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is Glynn County, located near Ocean Boulevard on St. Simon’s Island, Georgia 31522. The funding request of $2.9 million would be used to bring the rocks to their original height to protect against damage from natural disasters. The rocks have substantial gaps, having dropped several feet and no longer offering the storm surge/flood protection they once did. Not rehabilitating the shoreline along private property would continue to pose a threat to small businesses located close to the shore. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Please contact my office at 202-225-5831 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Earl L. “Buddy” Carter
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307 U.S. Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Phase II of the Cedar Park Ranchettes Sections 2 and 3 Stormwater Mitigation Project in fiscal year 2022. The sponsor for this project is the City of Cedar Park, located at 450 Cypress Creek Road, Building One, Cedar Park, TX 78613.

The funding is designated for installation of Stormwater drainage infrastructure to capture and convey the flow of water downstream to Cluck Creek. The project also includes resurfacing the existing roadway with a ribbon curb on both sides, which will reduce flooding in the area. This project is a high priority project in the City’s Stormwater Master Plan and will benefit many citizens who currently suffer from inadequate drainage facilities that were built with the subdivision in the 1970s prior to the incorporation of the City and the implementation of drainage criteria.

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

Sincerely,

John R. Carter
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
2413 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1026 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Shared West End Emergency Services Facility in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is Chestnuthill Township, located at 271 Route 715, Brodheadsville, Pennsylvania 18322. The funding would be used for building a new Shared Emergency Services Facility that will be multifaceted and centrally located within the community. The new building would serve as an all-in-one facility with space for the West End Volunteer Fire Company, West End Community Ambulance Association, and a Regional West End Emergency Operations Center (EOC) that would serve as the EOC for Chestnuthill, Jackson, Eldred, Ross, Polk and Hamilton Townships and provide an administrative backup location for the Monroe County Control Center (MCCC) as well as the Monroe County Office of Emergency Management (MCOEM). This facility will be centrally located in the Chestnuthill, Jackson, Eldred, Ross, Polk and Hamilton Region of Monroe County. This project would provide a new and improved facility for ten emergency service organizations within Monroe County.

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

Sincerely,

Matt Cartwright  
Member of Congress
April 22, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Hawai‘i State Emergency Operations Center in Fiscal Year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Hawai‘i Emergency Management Agency (HI-EMA), located at 3949 Diamond Head Road, Honolulu, Hawai‘i 96816.

The funding would be used for design and planning for construction of a hardened and modernized State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) for HI-EMA that will replace the existing Battery Birkhimer SEOC located in the Diamond Head Crater. The Birkhimer facility is a leaking and crumbling 105-year-old armament facility. A new hardened SEOC is desperately needed to support HI-EMA’s operational needs. The SEOC will be part of the First Responder Tech Campus (FRTC) in Mililani, Hawai‘i. This 244-acre campus is currently programmed to house seventeen Federal, State and County first responder agencies and departments. Building a sustainable, secure, strategically located and centralized SEOC in the FRTC will significantly improve HI-EMA’s emergency management and preparedness capabilities.

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

Thank you for your time and consideration.

With aloha,

Ed Case
Member of Congress
Hawai‘i-First District
Chair Rosa L. DeLauro  
Member of Congress  
The Capitol  
H-307  
Washington, DC. 20515

Ranking Member Kay Granger  
Member of Congress  
1026 Longworth HOB  
Washington, DC. 20515

April 23, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding in the amount of $175,000 for Cherokee County’s Emergency Operation Center for Fiscal Year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Cherokee County, located at 59 Hiwassee Street, Suite 105, Murphy, North Carolina, 28906.

The funding would be used for an Emergency Operation Center which would be able to house all necessary personnel during an emergency. It will also be able to act as staging for any resources that have been deployed to Cherokee County to assist with a response. This will also allow for training of first responders and public safety staff in emergency operations allowing for a more streamlined response during the actual event.

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

Sincerely,

Madison Cawthorn  
Member of Congress
Chair Rosa L. DeLauro
Member of Congress
The Capitol
H-307
Washington, DC. 20515

Ranking Member Kay Granger
Member of Congress
1026 Longworth HOB
Washington, DC. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding in the amount of $200,000 for the Yancey County’s Emergency Operation Center’s technology for Fiscal Year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Yancey County, located at 15 East Blvd. Burnsville, North Carolina, 28714.

The funding would be used for an Emergency Operation Center technology, VIPER and VHF radio capability, as well as Amateur Radio (AUXCOM) and a complete Computer Aided dispatch (CAD).

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

Sincerely,

Madison Cawthorn
Member of Congress
April 27, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Hurld Park Green Infrastructure Project in fiscal year 2022 appropriations.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Woburn, located at 10 Common Street, Woburn, Massachusetts 01801.

The funding would be used for completing engineering designs for a major (11.3 acres) green infrastructure project in Woburn. This project will make its surrounding neighborhood significantly more heat and flood resilient as climate change increases both summer temperatures and rainfall intensity. Community co-benefits include stormwater pollution remediation through a constructed wetland; stream, floodplain and wetland restoration; ADA-accessible paths; community gardens; and both active and passive recreation. This project will benefit over 24,000 residents—including three environmental justice neighborhoods located within a mile of the site—and will contribute to regional flood management, specifically for the communities of Winchester, Arlington, Medford, Cambridge, and Somerville.

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

Sincerely,

Katherine M. Clark
Member of Congress
April 27, 2021
April 27, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Mystic and Charles Regional Coastal Flood Interventions Project in fiscal year 2022 appropriations.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Arlington, located at 730 Massachusetts Avenue, Arlington, Massachusetts 02476.

The funding would be used for analysis, planning, and sequencing for a coordinated set of coastal resilience strategies and interventions that together will reduce the risk of coastal flooding to nine vulnerable communities in the Boston area: Arlington, Belmont, Boston, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Malden, Medford, and Revere.

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

Sincerely,

Katherine M. Clark  
Member of Congress  
April 27, 2021
April 30, 2021

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I write to respectfully request $950,000 in fiscal year 2022 funding for the project: Community Climate Change Impacts Analysis.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Prince William County Government, 5 County Complex Court, Prince William 22192.

This project will prepare Prince William County for future impacts due to climate change. The first part will be to develop a plan to reduce carbon emissions, increase use of renewable energy, and provide sustainability resources within the community to address the harmful impacts of climate change. The analysis will be used to develop long term plans to meet goals set by the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments and the Prince William Board of County Supervisor for reducing carbon and increasing the use of renewable energy.

The second part will address increased flooding potential in the community. A study will be conducted to identify high risk flood areas based on historic, current, and projected storm/rainfall trends, with recommendations for mitigation and adaptation strategies. A review and incorporation of increases in intense rain events due to climate change will be included in the study. Many of the areas in high-risk flood areas are in lower income and minority communities. This study will also address and include issues of environmental and social justice, and the equity of programs to reduce flood risk in the community.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Gerald E. Connolly
Member of Congress
11th District, Virginia
April 28, 2021

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

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

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the TC Jester Stormwater Detention Basin Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Harris County Flood Control District, located at 9900 Northwest Freeway Houston, Texas 77092.

The funding would be used for construction of a project to mitigate the risk of future riverine flooding in my district by providing a storm water detention basin that will retain storm runoff and reduce the limits of the floodplain and lower the water level within the floodplain. It will bring much needed relief from the risk of flooding for residents of the Cypress Creek Watershed.

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

Sincerely,

Dan Crenshaw  
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

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

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

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Westador Stormwater Detention Basin Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Harris County Flood Control District, located at 9900 Northwest Freeway Houston, Texas 77092.

The funding would be used for construction of a project to mitigate the risk of future riverine flooding in my district by providing a storm water detention basin that will retain storm runoff and reduce the limits of the floodplain and lower the water level within the floodplain. It will bring much needed relief from the risk of flooding for residents of the Cypress Creek Watershed.

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

Sincerely,

Dan Crenshaw  
Member of Congress
April 29, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for a Zapata County Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is located at, 200 E. 7th Avenue, Zapata Texas 78076 The funding would be used to support a new Emergency Operations Center for Zapata County.

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

Sincerely,

Henry Cuellar
U.S. Congressman
28th District of Texas
April 28, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for a Backup Engine Generator in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is WaterOne, located at 10747 Renner Blvd., Lenexa, KS, 66219.

The funding would be used for a backup generator that would serve as back-up power for the Ralph Wyss Pumping Station at 22650 W 159th St., Olathe KS, 66061 which operates a 7.5 Million Gallon Reservoir and transmission main that greatly expands WaterOne’s service capacity to the quickly growing southern Johnson County area.

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

Sincerely,

Representative Sharice Davids
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting $610,500 in community project funding for the North Branford Emergency Operations Center.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of North Branford, located at 909 Foxon Road, North Branford, CT 06471.

The funding would be used for an updated state of the art Emergency Operations Center for the Town of North Branford.

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

Sincerely,

Rosa L. DeLauro
Member of Congress
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

As you begin crafting the Fiscal Year 2022 bill, I respectfully request that you consider the following funding priorities:

Provide a funding level of $389,000 for the proposed Emergency Response Complex at Gulf Coast State College in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is Gulf Coast State College located at 5230 US-98, Panama City, Florida 32401. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as it provides training opportunities to local and regional first responders, as well as will supplement academic programs for students pursuing degrees in public safety-related fields.

Provide a funding level of $3,918,961.00 for the Blountstown Wastewater Treatment Facility in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is the City of Blountstown located at 20591 W Central Avenue, Blountstown, Florida 32434. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as the city upgrades to the existing wastewater treatment facility to fulfill the requirements of the Consent and Administrative Orders.

Provide a funding level of $1,500,000 for the Franklin County Emergency Operation Center in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is Franklin County located at 33 Market Street, Suite 305, Apalachicola, Florida 32320. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as the current facility is not large enough to accommodate all the response agencies after an event. Updates to this facility are imperative for response and recovery in the community.

Provide a funding level of $1,000,000 for the Gulf County Floating Dry Dock in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is Gulf County located at 1000 Cecil G. Costin Sr. Boulevard, Port St. Joe, Florida 32456. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as the floating dry dock will create an estimated 215 full-time jobs and serve as a catalyst for additional economic growth in the region.

Provide a funding level of $3,486,690 for Holmes County Multipurpose and Recreational Center Rehabilitation in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is the City of Bonifay located at 313 McKinnon Avenue, Bonifay, Florida 32425. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as this park provides a safe environment for recreational and community events. Upgrades to the facility will make the park accessible to all ages and abilities.

Provide a funding level of $85,000 for the Hope School Mobility Track and Infrastructure Improvements in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is the Jackson County School District located at 2903...
Jefferson Street, Marianna, Florida 32446. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as the Hope School serves approximately 125 students in the surrounding school districts with physical and cognitive disabilities. These improvements will create equal access for all students, as well as ensure a safer campus.

Provide a funding level of $3,000,000 for the rehabilitation of runway 18-36 at the Tallahassee International Airport (TLH) in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is the City of Tallahassee located at 300 S. Adams Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32301. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as this runway serves for both flight training and commerce. Improvements to this facility will allow for continued and enhanced shipping and travel service to the region.

Provide a funding level of $5,391,230 for the City of Williston Fire and Police Department in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is the City of Williston located at 50 NW Main Street, Williston, Florida 32696. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as a new facility will benefit the eastern side of Levy County, as well as provide a response to the growing residential areas of the region.

Provide a funding level of $1,100,000 for the Liberty County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Facility in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is Liberty County located at 10818 FL-20, Bristol, Florida 32321. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as the current EMS facility, built in 1966, is not a fully functional space for an ambulance and crew.

Provide a funding level of $850,000 for the North Florida Emerging Agriculture Enterprises Accelerator in Fiscal Year 2022. The intended recipient is the University of Florida located at 1001 McCarty Hall D, Gainesville, Florida 32511. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds as it will develop public-private partnerships between the university and food producers in the Suwannee Valley River Region.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in these projects.

Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

NEAL P. DUNN
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair, Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member, Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Meyergrove Detention Basin (D500-11-00-E001) in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Harris County Flood Control District, located at 9900 Northwest Freeway, Houston, Texas 77092.

The funding would be used for a project to design and construct a 7.5-acre stormwater detention basin for the conveyance of more than 50 million gallons of stormwater away from nearby residential, commercial, and transportation investments. The 24.31 square miles of flood reduction will benefit areas that have experienced repeated flooding events that have caused severe damage, including 500-year floods in 2015, 2016, and 2017. The basin measures 1221 linear feet by 600 linear feet at a depth of 25 feet, with a 260-foot concrete and riprap emergency overflow slough and 370 linear feet of reinforced concrete pipe outflow. The entire project is within census tract 4129.00 on the southeastern side of North Braeswood Boulevard in Houston, abutting main stem Brays Bayou (channel unit D100-00-00) in the Brays Bayou Watershed [HUC 12040104].

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

Sincerely,

Lizzie Fletcher  
Member of Congress
April 27, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding in the amount of $5,484,299 for the for Department of Department of Homeland Security- Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grants account in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Monroe County located at 1100 Simmonton Street, Key West, FL 33040.

The funding would be used to mitigate 4,633 linear feet of County roadways and construct a “pump and treat” storm water drainage system including construction of drainage structures, wet wells, pollution treatment device, and a related elevated pump station. This strategic investment will minimize risk and reduce losses along three roads in the community, Shaw Drive, Crane Street and Adams Drive. These roads are bordered by wetlands and two canals, are low lying, and frequently impacted by storms, tides and sea level rise, making them subject to repetitive prolonged flooding of the streets.

The project will elevate low portions of the streets, construct a gravity wall along a portion of the boundary between the edge of the road and the wetland and install a storm water collection, treatment and disposal system to manage stormwater on the roadway. Currently there is no engineered drainage system in the subdivision; stormwater drainage has occurred by gravity via swales and exfiltration trenches that no longer function due to sea level rise and king tide impacts.

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

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Carlos A. Gimenez  
Member of Congress
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting Community Project Funding for the North Main Drain Expansion Project in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Hidalgo County Drainage District No. 1, 902 N Doolittle Rd., Edinburg, Texas 78542.

The funding will be used to expand the North Main Drain, an integral component of the Hidalgo County Master Drainage System. The North Main Drain Expansion Project will enhance the drainage capacity of a significant portion of both unincorporated and urbanized areas of Hidalgo County, where the majority of the county’s critical infrastructure is located. Overall, this project will add millions of additional cubic yards of stormwater storage capacity to Hidalgo County.

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

Sincerely,

Vicente Gonzalez
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee of Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Noxubee County Board of Supervisors to construct a new Emergency Operations/ E911 Center for the County through the Emergency Operations Center Grants account in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Noxubee County Board of Supervisors, which is located at 505 Jefferson Street, Macon, Mississippi, 39341.

The funding would be used to build a new Emergency Operations/ E911 Center for the County. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because Noxubee County would be able to adequately meet the emergency needs of its citizens and serve as back-up support to surrounding counties in times of crisis. The need for this facility is significant for Noxubee County.

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

Thank you for your consideration of this request. Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Michael Guest
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro,  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Transportation  
and Infrastructure  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Transportation  
and Infrastructure  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for Vermillion Parish Safe Room in Fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Vermillion Parish Government at 100 N. State Street, Abbeville, LA 70510.

The funding would be used for the Vermillion Parish Safe Room project. The safe room will function as the emergency operation Center and Pasrish’s communication district headquarters

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

Respectfully,

Clay Higgins  
Member of Congress
April 26, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Jackson County Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive the funding for this project is Jackson County, Iowa, working alongside the Iowa Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management. The Jackson County Board of Supervisors is located at 201 West Platt Street, Maquoketa, IA 52060. The Iowa Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management is located at 7900 Hickman Road, Suite 500, Des Moines, IA 50324.

The funding for this project will be used to construct a new Emergency Operations Center (EOC) in Jackson County to support on-scene activities, crisis communication, emergency response, and continuity of operations. Currently, Jackson County does not have an EOC.

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

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Ashley Hinson  
Member of Congress  
Committee on Appropriations
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for three flood projects, the Stormwater Detention Basin and Culvert Improvement; the Aldine Westfield Stormwater Detention Basin; and the Blue Bell Regional Stormwater Detention Basin. The entity to receive funding for this project is Harris County, located at the Harris County Courthouse, 1001 Preston St, Houston, TX 77002.

The proposed P118-09-00 Stormwater Detention Basin and Culvert Improvement includes 35 acre-feet of storage within a proposed 9.4-acre site between Langley Rd. and Little York Rd. west of P118-09-00 and replacing the existing culvert structure at Parker Road with two 4 x 3 Reinforced Concrete Boxes. The project also proposes to rehab and repair the concrete lined channel sections downstream of Cheeves Dr. to Bigwood St.

The funding for Aldine Westfield Stormwater Detention Basin (HCFCD Unit P500-04-00), is to complete, or partially fund completion, of the last phase which will reduce flood risks in the Greens Bayou watershed by taking in excess stormwater during heavy rain events and then releasing it slowly back to the bayou when the threat of flooding has passed. The basin will be located south of Greens Road and north of Beltway 8, just off of Aldine Westfield Road.

The proposed Blue Bell Regional Stormwater Detention Basin is currently envisioned as a dry-bottom, off-line stormwater detention basin. It is located along the northern bank of the main stem of Halls Bayou, just upstream of IH-45. The proposed project site is 49 acres, bounded by Blue Bell Road to the north, Halls Bayou to the south, Veterans Memorial Road to the west and IH-45 to the east. In total, the proposed project is expected to add 254 acre-feet, or almost 83 million gallons, of additional stormwater storage in the Halls Bayou Watershed.

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

Sheila Jackson Lee
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Fresh Creek Tide Gates, Brooklyn, NY 11236 in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is New York State Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Services located at 1220 Washington Ave, Bldg. 7a – 4th Floor, Albany, NY 12242.

The funding would be used for the design and construction of a tide gate which would reduce inflow into the sewer network, helping to protect both residential and commercial properties from flooding. The Fresh Creek portion of Canarsie is prone to tidal flooding. The majority of the neighborhood is in a low-lying area within the 100-year and 500-year floodplain, and residents regularly experience basement flooding from water backing into their drainage system. This problem is expected to get worse as sea levels rise. Reductions in inland flooding from sewer surcharge will also enhance the ability of first responders to respond to emergencies in the area due to the need for street grid connectivity during a heavy rainfall event accompanied by storm surge.

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

Sincerely,

Hakeem Jeffries  
Member of Congress
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 the Lake County Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Lake County Board of Commissioners, located at 105 Main St, Painesville, Ohio 44077. The funding would be used for construction of a new Emergency Operations Center to better serve the citizens of Lake County and Northeast Ohio. This project includes the construction of an approximately 40,000 square foot Emergency Operations Center adjacent to the existing structure in Kirtland, Ohio.

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

Sincerely,

David P. Joyce
Member of Congress
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

As you begin crafting the fiscal year 2022 Homeland Security appropriations bill, I respectfully request that you consider providing $75,000 for renovations and major technological investments in the Emergency Operations Center for the Cayuga County Office of Emergency Services, located at 160 Genesee Street, Auburn, NY 13021. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it would provide Cayuga County with enhanced emergency operations capabilities.

The current Cayuga County EOC lacks the equipment and capabilities of a modern EOC. While they are unable to increase the space of their operations, with this funding they would be able to increase their capabilities to serve the community by leveraging investments in modern technology. For this reason, Cayuga County Emergency Management has identified technological upgrades for the Cayuga County EOC as a priority to ensure public safety and well-coordinated emergency response operations.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project. Furthermore, I am not aware of any other Member of Congress submitting a request for this purpose.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

John Katko
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

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

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

As you begin crafting the fiscal year 2022 Homeland Security appropriations bill, I respectfully request that you consider providing $1,000,000 for renovations and major technological investments to develop a state-of-the-art Emergency Operations Center for the Department of Emergency Management in Onondaga County, which is currently located at 421 Montgomery Street, Syracuse, NY 13202. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it would provide Onondaga County with enhanced emergency operations capabilities, including continuity of operations for critical government functions and continuity of government in the event other County-owned facilities are compromised.

The current location of the Onondaga County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) is limited in capacity due to square footage and facility layout constraints, susceptible to potential mechanical failures due to its location on the sub-level, and is immediately adjacent to other soft-targets including primary county office buildings.

The relocation and upgrading of the Onondaga County EOC will preserve public safety, ensure continuity of government, and maintain well-coordinated emergency response operations. This project would include renovations of the physical space and major technological upgrades to transition a County-owned, former Army Reserve Center into a state-of-the-art EOC.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project. Furthermore, I am not aware of any other Member of Congress submitting a request for this purpose.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this request.
Sincerely,

John Katko
Member of Congress
April 25, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
Room H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1026 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Hoh Tribe Relocation Development project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Hoh Tribe, located at 166887 Highway 101, Forks, WA 98331. The funding would be used for building out essential infrastructure, bringing sufficient power to each commercial, governmental, and residential lot in the Upper Highlands, and connecting water and sewer lines to the existing reservation system. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Derek Kilmer  
Member of Congress
April 25, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
Room H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1026 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Aberdeen-Hoquiam Flood Protection Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Hoquiam, located at 609 8th Street, Hoquiam, WA, 98550. The funding would be used for the construction of the Fry Creek Pump Station. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Derek Kilmer  
Member of Congress
United States House of Representatives
Young Kim
39th District, California

April 30, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Chino Hills Citywide Fuel Reduction Project.

The entity to receive funding for this project is located at 14000 City Center Drive, Chino Hills, CA 91709.

The funding would be used to implement a citywide fuel reduction project to reduce the potential for wildfire and wildfire spread through the removal of fuel hazards near residential communities. The project site is comprised of approximately 3,350 acres of City-owned open space, located in the southwestern corner of San Bernardino County. The project will enlarge defensible space between the City’s 25,834 habitable structures and its open space hillsides that are highly susceptible to wildfires. It will utilize environmentally friendly techniques that are cost-effective and will result in long-term greenhouse gas reductions. Our residents’ safety and health, and in many cases lives, depend on our ability to protect them from the destructive paths of wildfires. As wildfires increase in our region, devastation will only increase without this specific and dedicated action to prevent risk to human life.

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

Sincerely,

YOUNG KIM
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the City of Elroy Electrical Substation Renovation in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Elroy, WI.

The funding would be used to flood proof of the City of Elroy's electrical substation that serves the entire community to prevent flood waters from entering the facility. The project would include installation of a floodwall, gates, storm water pumping system, and related site improvements, and utility related improvements.

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

Sincerely,

Ron Kind

Member of Congress
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for a community funding project in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Western Illinois University located at 403D Stipes Hall in Macomb, Illinois 61455.

The funding would be used to renovate the existing structure, Currens Hall Library, to create a permanent hardened facility at a strategically placed location that will suitably and efficiently serve the region as Western Illinois Emergency Operations Center (Western EOC) while also leveraging cross-functional benefits inherent to the site due to the existing resources available on WIU’s campus. The Western EOC project is a crucial investment in enhancing emergency management services throughout not only western, central and southern, Illinois and the surrounding region (the region) but also the midwestern United States through creation of a hardened, permanent, flexible, interoperable, fully capable, all-hazards EOC strategically located at Western Illinois University (WIU) in McDonough County Illinois.

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

Sincerely,

Darin LaHood
Member of Congress
April 27, 2021
April 22, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair and Ranking Member:

I am requesting funding for W.S. Stevens High School Disaster Shelter in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Gadsden County Board of County Commissioners, located at 9B East Jefferson Street, Quincy, FL 32351.

The funding would be used for the refurbishment of the Gadsden County W.S. Stevens High School Disaster Shelter through the Pre-Disaster Mitigation Funds. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer’s funds because there are no standalone disaster shelters in Gadsden County. Currently, Gadsden County schools serve as the disaster shelters, offering residences a tight window of time to stay prior to a disaster occurring and after the threat is over because the schools must re-open to resume classes and make necessary repairs. With these funds Gadsden County will construct a pet-friendly ADA disaster shelter housing up to 150-200 individuals. The project site can also be used as staging area to distribute FEMA disaster information, food, water, and other necessities, it will also provide wi-fi and a charging stations for residence to charge their mobile devices.

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

Sincerely,

Al Lawson
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Veteran's Court Seawall in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Alameda, located at 2263 Santa Clara Avenue, Suite 300, Alameda, CA 94501.

The funding would be used in the construction design of the Veteran's Court Seawall project to provide long-term flood protection and address coastal resiliency issues on Bay Farm Island.

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

Sincerely,

Barbara Lee
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for St. Clair Shores Pump Station in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is City of St. Clair Shores, located at 27600 Jefferson Circle Drive, St. Clair Shores, MI 48081. The funding would be used for installing a pump station to prevent flooding. Construction of a pump station is vital to keeping both Jefferson Ave. and Masonic Blvd. open during high lake levels. This project is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it will extend the life of St. Clair Shores’ roads, while also addressing transportation challenges that disproportionately impact the area’s most vulnerable residents. When flooding prohibits travel between home and work, or damages vehicles and properties, all residents suffer, but low-income residents—who might be unable to find alternate transportation or afford repairs—bear the greatest burdens.

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

Sincerely,

ANDY LEVIN
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:  

I am requesting funding for design and construction documents for pre-disaster mitigation, climate resilience, and open space improvements at Moakley Park in South Boston, MA in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Boston Parks and Recreation Department located at 1010 Massachusetts Ave, 3rd Floor, Boston, MA 02118.

The project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because currently Moakley Park floods regularly—and sits at a critical breach point that threatens the long-term vitality of adjacent and upland neighborhoods including critical affordable housing assets and regionally-significant transportation assets.

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

Sincerely,

Stephen F. Lynch  
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the City of Roswell-911 Emergency Communications Call Center project in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the city of Alpharetta located at 39 Hill St, Roswell GA 30075.

This funding request includes a new Emergency Communications Center and Emergency Operations Center. The objective of this project is to evaluate, develop, recommend and design options for the construction of a new 911 Call Center / Emergency Operations on site at 39 Hill St, Roswell, GA.

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

Sincerely,

LUCY MCBATH
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Cattail Creek Crossing Improvements project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Hopewell located at 300 N. Main St., Hopewell, VA 23860.

The funding would install 5-foot wide sidewalk, curb and gutter, and underground storm drainage to provide pedestrian facilities and improved bus access in a community where many do not have access to reliable transportation.

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

Sincerely,

A. Donald McEachin
Member of Congress
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Gerald R. Ford International Airport Emergency Operations Center (EOC). The project sponsor for this project is the Gerald R. Ford International Airport Authority, located at 5500 44th St SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49512.

The funding is designated to help build an enhanced EOC facility that will correct space deficiencies, increase functionality, and improve hazard resistance. This will include an increase in security to protect and build redundancies for emergency communications, operations, access control, video management and emergency management. It will be sustainable, secure, strategically located, and includes a fully interoperable EOC for leadership to coordinate in the event of an emergency.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have the following benefits: The enhanced EOC at the airport will be able to provide a facility for airport specific incidents as well as law enforcement, TSA and FBI partners to gather and coordinate in the event of terrorism activity, security incidents and/or to support White House communications and secret service during presidential visits. As a mass transit hub for West Michigan this project will enhance a variety of areas at the Gerald R. Ford International Airport, including dispatch interoperability and EOC operations. Developing enhanced EOC capabilities will improve the quality and timeliness of the response to an emergency, reduce recovery time following an emergency, help the airport coordinate and manage operational expenses and assess impacts on the local economy when an emergency occurs.

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

Sincerely,

Peter Meijer
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021
The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee on House Appropriations  
H-307 Capitol Building  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on House Appropriations  
H-307 Capitol Building  
Washington, DC 2051

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Newburyport bulkhead reconstruction in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Newburyport, located at City Hall, 60 Pleasant Street, Newburyport, MA 01950.

The funding would be used for: This critical infrastructure project would reconstruct a bulkhead that protects the near shore economy, including fishing, cruising and tourism, and the recreational boating industries, as well as a protect a heavily utilized boardwalk and public park. In addition, portions of Downtown Newburyport are located in the FEMA floodplain and would be more vulnerable and susceptible to storm surge and flooding if the bulkhead fails.

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

Sincerely,

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SETH MOULTON
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Gilpin County Emergency Operations Center project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Gilpin County Office of Emergency Management, located at 2960 Dory Hill Rd Black Hawk, CO 80422.

The funding would be used for construction of a permanent Emergency Operations Center in Gilpin County. Gilpin County is a small rural community with limited resources. Due to COVID-19, the Gilpin County office of Emergency Management has been activated for 399 days straight. Having a permanent location where Emergency Support Functions can activate immediately is critical and will allow for quicker response and improved safety not only for the first responders but also for the community.

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

Sincerely,

Joe Neguse  
Member of Congress
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Big Springs Emergency Egress in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Nederland, located at 45 W. 1st Street in Nederland, Colorado 80466. The Emergency Egress would provide an emergency exit route out of the Big Springs subdivision in Nederland. The funding would be used to construct an emergency egress for the Big Springs subdivision, where residents currently have limited exit routes out of the neighborhood. Constituents in my district would benefit from this project because it would increase safety for Big Springs residents in the event of a wildfire.

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

Sincerely,

Joe Neguse
Member of Congress
April 29, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Walla Walla Relocate E911 Emergency Telecomm in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is Walla Walla County, located at 314 W. Main St Ste 203, PO Box 1506, Walla Walla, WA 99362,

The funding would be used for relocating the current location of the county’s multi-agency E911 Emergency Telecommunications Facility has been identified as a targeted damage site, as it lies in the collapse path of a multi-story brick structure that could render the site a total catastrophic loss to emergency services, dispatch personnel, law enforcement capabilities, and public access to requests for fire, emergency medical services and rescue.

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

Sincerely,

Dan Newhouse
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
Room H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for a Pinal County Christensen Road and Lower Magma Drainage improvement project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is Pinal County, located at 31 Pinal Street, Florence, Arizona 85132. The proposed project will construct drainage and roadway improvements at the Lower Magma Channel cross in order to remedy the situation. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Tom O’Halleran  
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
Room H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for a Pinal County Emergency Operations project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is Pinal County, located at 31 Pinal Street, Florence, Arizona 85132. The funding will enable Pinal County to build out an Emergency Operations Center that can be used to coordinate a response to emergency situations. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Tom O’Halleran
Member of Congress
Chairwoman Rosa DeLauro  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

Ranking Member Kay Granger  
1036 Longworth HOB  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Fireman’s Park Bulkhead Improvement Project in the Appropriations Subcommittee on Homeland Security Fiscal Year 2022 legislation. The entity receiving funding for this project is the Borough of Keyport located at 70 West Front Street, Keyport, NJ 07735. The funding will be used to help the Borough elevate the existing bulkhead to mitigate near monthly flooding events in its Downtown Business District/Fireman’s Park Area.

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

Sincerely,

FRANK PALLONE, JR.
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Hazardous Tree Removal Mitigation Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Poway, Public Works Department, located at 14467 Lake Poway Road, Poway, CA 92064. The funding would be used for a 50% reduction in wildfire fuel through tree removal and trimming in Poway, California. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Scott Peters  
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for **Inland End River Area Flood Resilience Project – City of Everett, City of Chelsea** in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Chelsea, located at 500 Broadway, Chelsea, Massachusetts 02150. The funding would be used to advance a regional flood resilience plan to protect the cities of Everett and Chelsea. This project would provide critical flood and sea level rise protection for highly populated regions that not only host life-critical food security and energy essential infrastructure but are also prone to coastal flooding and record coastal storms.

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

Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,

Ayanna Pressley  
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting $706,500 in Community Project Funding for the Town of Wake Forest Reservoir Project in Fiscal Year 2022 (FY 2022) appropriations legislation.

The project recipient is the Town of Wake Forest, located at 301 South Brooks Street, Wake Forest, NC 27587.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars because it will mitigate the safety concerns associated with a decades-old, “high risk” dam that could threaten the health and safety of Wake Forest residents. This funding will be used to decommission the existing water plant and implement new safety measures to lessen its dam hazard status and mitigate flooding.

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

Sincerely,

DAVID PRICE  
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

Chairwoman Rosa L. DeLauro
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for construction/renovation of a Wake County Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the County of Wake located at 301 S McDowell St., 4th Floor, Raleigh, NC 27601. The funding would be used to renovate and construct the new space, which was recently vacated by another County department. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Very truly yours,

Deborah K. Ross
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the City of Huntington Park, Emergency Operations Center Improvements Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Huntington Park, located at 6550 Miles Ave., Huntington Park, CA 90255. The funding would be used to enhance and modernize the existing Emergency Operations Center facility and upgrade communication and technology systems to modern systems compatible with systems utilized by local, state, and federal organizations.

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

Sincerely,

LUCILLE ROYBAL-ALLARD
Member of Congress
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for Mount Sinai Medical Center Infrastructure Resiliency Project Enhancements in fiscal year 2022 for the amount of $5,000,000.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Mount Sinai Medical Center located at 4300 Alton Road, Miami Beach, Florida 33140.

This project would allow the Mount Sinai Medical Center to be able to fulfill its mission to provide healthcare and emergency services in the aftermath of severe weather events by funding its facilities and systems to be able to withstand the full force of strong hurricanes. Mount Sinai has developed a Resiliency Master Plan comprised of individual elements that will protect campus facilities and mitigate any damage from storm surge, seawater intrusion, windstorm damage, and flooding. The funds allocated for this project will go towards resiliency improvements that the center needs to continue to serve its 10,000,000+ annual visitors.

As such, I believe this is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds as it will harden the facilities of the sole hospital on a barrier island, protecting the lives of patients, hospital staff, and local residents in times of severe weather emergencies.

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

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Congresswoman Maria Elvira Salazar
April 27, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Village of Arlington Heights’ Race and Chicago Avenue Stormwater Improvement Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Arlington Heights, Illinois, 33 S. Arlington Heights Road, Arlington Heights, IL. 60005. The funding would be used to address neighborhood flooding that has been a significant and recurring issue for the Race Avenue / Chicago Avenue residential neighborhood in Arlington Heights, Illinois. The proposed project includes construction of stormwater detention facilities totaling over 15,000 cubic feet, installation of 300 feet of 36” storm sewer, plus ancillary sewer work and street pavement replacement.

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

Sincerely,

Jan Schakowsky
Member of Congress
April 29, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington DC, 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington DC, 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Zion Stormwater Management Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Zion located at 2828 Sheridan Road, Zion, IL 60099. The funding would be used towards a stormwater management and flood mitigation project that would help alleviate ongoing flooding at a local Park District-operated senior center and a separate recreation center, as well as neighboring facilities such as a cancer treatment center.

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

Sincerely,

BRADLEY S. SCHNEIDER  
Member of Congress
April 29, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
House Appropriations Committee
Washington DC, 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Washington DC, 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Dady Slough Flood Storage and Wetland Enhancement Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Lake County Stormwater Management Commission, located at 500 W. Winchester Road, Libertyville, IL 60048. The funding would be used towards the county’s highest flood mitigation priority. The project would benefit two low-income communities, more than 800 households, a local high school, significant roadway infrastructure, and—in expanding water storage capacity upstream—would have downstream benefits as well.

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

Sincerely,

BRADLEY S. SCHNEIDER
Member of Congress
April 29, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro        The Honorable Kay Granger
Chair                              Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee     House Appropriations Committee
Washington DC, 20515               Washington DC, 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Lake County Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Lake County Government, located at 18 N. County Street, Waukegan, IL 60085. The funding would be used for construction of a consolidated Emergency Operations Center for the entire county that would include consolidated the 911 operations and redundancy of public safety operations and could serve as a potential federal Continuity of Operations facility for Chicago-based federal agency personnel. This project enjoys widespread support among public safety agencies in the county.

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

Sincerely,

[Signature]

BRADLEY S. SCHNEIDER
Member of Congress
April 29, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
House Appropriations Committee
Washington DC, 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Washington DC, 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the North Chicago Storm Sewer project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Lake County Stormwater Management Commission, located at 500 West Winchester Road, Suite 201, Libertyville, IL 60048. The funding would be used for a high-priority stormwater management and flood mitigation project that would benefit local, state, and federal assets, including housing for Great Lakes Naval Station, Illinois Route 41, and local homes and facilities. The project would also provide downstream benefit by increasing water storage capacity.

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

Sincerely,

BRADLEY S. SCHNEIDER
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Beth Medrash Govoha of America in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Beth Medrash Govoha of America, which is located at 617 Sixth Street, Lakewood, New Jersey 08701.

The funding, totaling $500,000, would allow Beth Medrash Govoha to purchase and install remote-controlled electronic locking security doors for the exterior doors on eight of the buildings on their campus to protect the students, faculty and staff from an outside threat.

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

Sincerely,

CHRISTOPHER H. SMITH  
Member of Congress
Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307 Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting $1,000,000 in funding for City of Haines City Fire Department Services in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Haines City, located at 620 Main Street, Haines City, FL 33844.

The funding would be used for the construction of a new a new fire station to support the rapid development of the city.

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

Sincerely,

Darren Soto
Member of Congress
April 27, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
1036 Longworth Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the City of Santa Rosa Permanent Emergency Operations Center (EOC) in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Santa Rosa located at 100 Santa Rosa Ave, Santa Rosa, CA 95404.

The funding would be used for renovating an existing city-owned facility that could house a permanent Emergency Operations Center. This would help the city better facilitate emergency management of future disasters in Santa Rosa.

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

Sincerely,

Mike Thompson
MIKE THOMPSON  
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the City of Rialto Emergency Operations Center project in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Rialto, located at 150 S. Palm Avenue, Rialto, CA 92376.

The funding would be used to that for the construction of a new, centralized Emergency Operations Center for the City of Rialto to support multi-agency and/or multi-jurisdictional response and recovery efforts. This project will ensure that emergency response is coordinated and efficient, and will minimize any conflict, confusion, or duplication of efforts during disaster response.

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

Sincerely,

Norma J. Torres
Member of Congress
April 30, 2021

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

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

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the East 132nd Street Pier Park Waterfront Plan in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project The Resilience, Education, Training, and Innovation (RETI) Center, located at 153 Coffey St, Brooklyn, NY 11231.

The funding would be used to revitalize East 132nd Street Pier Park and open up a vital waterfront for safe and easy public access; initiate ecological restoration; and lay the baseline landscaping for climate resiliency, flood prevention, recreational use and future construction.

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

Sincerely,

Sincerely,

Ritchie Torres  
Member of Congress
The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Appropriations Committee  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the City of Frederick, Maryland’s Motter Avenue Area Community Flood Mitigation Project in the Fiscal Year 2022 Homeland Security Appropriations bill. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Frederick, located at 101 N Court Street Frederick, MD 21701.

If awarded, the funding will be used for the Motter Avenue Area Community Flood Mitigation Project, which will reduce residential property damage and risk of flood-related injury in the YMCA Flooding Area in Frederick, Maryland. The funds would allow the City to implement the US Army Corps of Engineers recommended mitigation for addressing flood risk in this area, including the installation of new pipes and lines that will be able to convey more stormwater from upstream drainage areas to the system outfall without overland flow surcharge. By adding more inlets, surface runoff will discharge into the trunk line more efficiently. The mitigation project will reduce the flood risk in the YMCA Flooding Area by nearly 4 feet of flooding, from 5.6 feet to 1.7 feet for the 10-year, 24-hour storm. This measure will also eliminate surface flooding in the YMCA Flooding Area for a 2-year, 24-hour storm, and reduce flood depths during a 100-year, 24-hour storm, from 7.0 feet to 4.5 feet. Should this funding request be awarded, the Maryland Emergency Management Agency stands ready to administer these funds on behalf of the City of Frederick.

I certify that neither I nor any member of my immediate family has any financial interests in this project.

Sincerely,

David Trone  
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
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Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for a project to strengthen the Sylvan Lake Dam in Lake County, Illinois. The dam is located at 26083 N. Highland Drive, Mundelein, IL, 60060.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Lake County Stormwater Management Commission, located at 500 W. Winchester Rd, Suite 201, Libertyville, IL, 60048.

The funding would be used to prevent failure of a 100-year-old earthen embankment dam. Strengthening the dam will protect over 400 homes from the impacts of a potential dam failure, including water contamination; loss of utilities including water, gas, and sewer; and flooding of roads (including a single access route for 137 homes). This project is particularly urgent in light of the anticipated increase in precipitation associated with climate change. These federal funds will make the community safer by mitigating these risks, and will save taxpayer money by investing in prevention before a disaster occurs instead of cleaning up the damage.

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

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Lake Lenape Dam Flood Mitigation project from the BRIC Account. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Office of the Atlantic County Improvement Authority, located at 1333 Atlantic Avenue, Suite 700, Atlantic City, NJ, 08401.

This project constitutes an excellent use of taxpayer funds.

The Lake Lenape Dam, located in Mays Landing, New Jersey, is a High-Hazard, Class I Dam, currently rated in POOR condition in an August 2020 inspection. The County has made a tremendous effort to explore all options to mitigate any future damage or catastrophic loss that may be caused because of breach of this 110+ year old dam. No mitigation efforts, however, can account for safety risks or potential loss of life that would be imminent in the event the dam was to collapse.

The area immediately adjacent to and downstream of the spillway is dense residential and commercial development. As Mays Landing is the County Seat of Atlantic County, many key government offices are located within what would surely be a flood path created by a failure of this aged and deteriorated dam. In the most catastrophic scenarios, the resulting flood would inundate nearly half of Mays Landing, resulting in almost certain fatalities, millions of dollars of property damage, and severe damage to downstream critical infrastructure. In short, the threat of
failure of the Lake Lenape Dam is imminent, the potential impacts are calamitous, and the time to address both is now.

To achieve an effective remedy to flooding, and to ensure the long-term stability of the lake, the County’s Engineer has concluded that the spillway must be completely replaced with a modern solution. Any provided grant funds will be obligated within the FY22 period to immediately begin construction of the already-developed designs.

This project has unparalleled community support, is eligible and meritorious of BRIC grant funding, and is urgently needed. I urge you to provide this grant funding so that the community can quickly and decisively address this existential threat.

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

Sincerely,

Jefferson Van Drew

April 30, 2021
April 30, 2021

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

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

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Brownsville Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Brownsville located at 1001 E. Elizabeth St, Brownsville, TX 78520.

The funding would be used for project design, engineering, and environmental checks for the construction of the City of Brownsville’s very own Emergency Operations Center (EOC). In the event of an emergency or pending natural disaster, the city’s library becomes the EOC, which is not efficient or capable of housing all city operations. As a growing city vulnerable to flooding and natural disasters, it is imperative they have a proper EOC for centralized command and 911 calling that would allow the city to tackle any emergency in an efficient manner.

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

Sincerely,

Filemon Vela  
Member of Congress
April 28, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations  
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Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
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Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the City of Allentown’s proposed Multi-Agency Disaster Response Center in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Allentown Fire Department and it would be located at 641 S. 10th St. Allentown 18103. The funding would be used to establish a Multi-Agency Interoperability Center within the Allentown City limits greatly enhancing the regions capability to effectively respond to natural and manmade disasters. If funded, they would be able to serve and coordinate with not only Allentown but the whole county and beyond in case of such a disaster in a neighboring area.

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

Sincerely,

Susan Wild  
Member of Congress