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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations The Capitol, Room H-307 Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 LHOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the San Miguel Consolidated Fire Protection District - Fire Station 18 Tear Down/Rebuild Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is San Miguel Consolidated Fire Protection District, located at 2850 Via Orange Way, Spring Valley, CA 91978. The funding would be used to tear down and rebuild Fire Station 18, due to its current failing floors, asbestos, and lead paint. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the new fire station will benefit local homes due to improved storm water runoff, and lower wildfire damage risk in the entire community due to increased firefighter safety and readiness.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,

DARRELL ISSA Member of Congress