

Congress of the United States
Washington, DC 20510

May 23, 2025

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
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Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the San Miguel Consolidated Fire Protection District – Fire Station 19 Construction in Fiscal Year 2026. 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 for property hazard mitigation, county permitting, roadway improvements, and construction costs. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the new, seismically resilient facility will strengthen frontline capacity to respond to large-scale fire incidents and regional emergencies, enhance firefighter safety, and support faster, more coordinated response across multiple agencies.

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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Darrell Issa', with a stylized flourish at the end.

DARRELL ISSA
Member of Congress