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

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Redondo Beach Marina Dock System Replacement in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Redondo, located at 415 Diamond Street, Redondo Beach, CA 90277. The funding would be used to help preserve the functionality of the Marina and enhance the local economy by replacing the docks, pile supports, gangways, and entry gates. The Redondo Beach Marina is an integral part of Redondo Beach's waterfront landscape and plays a vital cultural and economic role for the community, serving as a hub for commercial and recreational boating. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this area has been identified as needing revitalization due to both the anticipated impacts of sea level rise and existing structural deficiencies induced by time and environmental factors. The improvements will also contribute to the overall commercial viability of the International Boardwalk, a commercial hub built around the Marina.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 46 USC 54301.

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

Sincerely,

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