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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

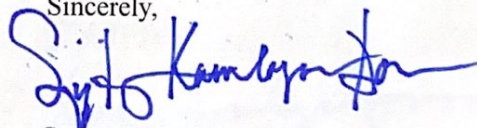
I am requesting funding for Renovation and Expansion of Amistad de Los Angeles Residential Reentry Facility Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Epidaurus DBA Amity Foundation, located at 3655 South Grand Avenue #290 Los Angeles, CA 90007.

The \$1,501,000 in funding would be used for the rehabilitation/renovation of 69 existing bedrooms and bathrooms, replacement of all existing plumbing, mechanical and electrical systems, improvements to the fire alarm system, design and build of 3 bedrooms and showers, rehabilitation of outdated spaces and installation of floor coverings, painting and solar. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it is imperative that community-based organizations like Amity expand their ability to serve the reentry population and contribute meaningful solutions in a housing crisis which has also become a social, economical, and health crisis in the 37th District.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C 5305(a)(1).

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

Sincerely,



Sydney Kamlager-Dove
Member of Congress