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Rep. Rosa DeLauro
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H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC, 20515

Rep. Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Anaheim Sustainability Education Center project. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Anaheim – Public Utilities Department located at 201 S Anaheim Blvd #107, Anaheim, CA 92805.

This funding would support the construction of the Anaheim Sustainability Education Center (SEC) – a regional resource to educate residents on the benefits of renewable energy, electric transportation, and water technologies, and to prepare students for sustainability careers in STEM-related fields. This new facility will demonstrate new technologies, host seminars, provide job training, and provide educational programming. Located adjacent to a disadvantaged community, the SEC will provide essential pathways for jobs in construction, engineering, and environmental science. The SEC will reinvigorate a community with an amenity that provides sustainability education, student programs, job skills training, Electric Vehicle (EV) charging displays, energy efficiency technologies, and a water conservation demonstration garden. Located in an industrial park adjacent to a disadvantaged community, the parcel is currently an unused, dilapidated facility used primarily for storage. The goal is to establish a community facility that would promote sustainability initiatives and career opportunities for nearby residents. Additionally, there are three elementary schools and a high school within walking distance that would enable after-school programming to enrich the lives of the students as they learn about the importance of sustainability in energy and water.

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

Sincerely,

J. Luis Correa
Member of Congress