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April 28, 2022

Rep. Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
House Appropriations Committee
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 Santiago Creek Festival Grounds project. The entity to receive funding for this project is Discovery Cube Orange County, located at 2500 N Main St, Santa Ana, CA 92705.

This proposal is an Economic Development Project aimed at an expansion of Discovery Cube Orange County, a non-profit children's science center. The project will acquire adjacent blighted property to create an open-air festival space with seasonal science exhibitions. This sustainably designed facility will be located along the Santiago Creek, bringing a year-round community focused enhancement of an extremely blighted area, located in the middle of a highly populated, urban area. This funding request is for the Cube to acquire the property and transform it into an extension of the science center, creating a safe educational space for children and families of the community.

There is vast community support for this project as both residents and businesses believe that the only way to transform this portion of the underserved community, is to acquire, demolish and rebuild this property into a community asset.

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

Sincerely,

J. Luis Correa
Member of Congress