April 28, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
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Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Northstate Community Facilities and Infrastructure Strengthening Project through Canal Modernization and Community Fuels Reductions in the Fiscal Year 2023 Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration and Related Agencies appropriations bill.

The project sponsor for this project is the Anderson-Cottonwood Irrigation District located at 2810 Silver Street, Anderson, CA 96007. The project itself will take place at three separate locations, within Anderson and Cottonwood, CA: 40°25'52.02"N, 122°16'24.69"W; 40°24'6.73"N, 122°15'2.92"W; and 40°23'0.74"N, 122°18'42.12"W.

This project is a valuable use of taxpayer funds to continue the modernization of the Anderson-Cottonwood Irrigation District’s infrastructure, which provides water to 6,833 acres and additional benefits to habitat for wildlife, water savings, and essential groundwater recharge to shallow wells. The backbone for three new automated flume gates and check structures will be initiated through these funds. These gates will also serve as flood protection for nearby urban areas.

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

Sincerely,

Doug LaMalfa
Member of Congress