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March 29, 2022

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 Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Pali Momi Medical Center Backup Generator Project in Fiscal Year 2024.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Hawai'i Emergency Management Agency located at 4204 Diamond Head Road, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96816-4495.

The funding would be used to install a fixed generator at Pali Momi Medical Center. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would provide critical system redundancy and stabilize and reduce risks to direct community lifelines by mitigating the risk and vulnerability associated with a power loss during a natural disaster. The proposed project achieves Federal Emergency Management Agency's objective of supporting risk reduction and increasing community resilience through hazard mitigation projects and activities.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 203 of the Stafford Act (42 U.S.C. 5133), as amended by Section 1234, National Public Infrastructure Pre-Disaster Hazard Mitigation, of the Disaster Recovery Reform Act of 2018. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

With aloha,

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