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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
United States House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
United States House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Army Planning and Design for a Flight Control Tower at Wheeler Army Airfield in Fiscal Year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the U.S. Department of the Army located at the Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Financial Management & Comptroller), 109 Army Pentagon, Washington, DC, 20310.

The planning and design funding would be used to accelerate the Flight Control Tower at Wheeler Army Airfield, HI. The existing control tower, built in 1979, no longer meets the current operational and safety requirements for airfield operations and has numerous maintenance issues. A new tower is required to provide the installation with a control tower that is compliant with current codes and standards for the facility type to support the mission of the aviation units stationed at Wheeler Army Airfield and support safe operations in and around the airfield.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 10 U.S.C. Chapter 169. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

With aloha,



Ed Case
Member of Congress