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Hon. Kay Granger
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Hon. Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Lauderdale Manors Park Multimodal Connections in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, located at 100 N Andrews Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301. The funding would be used to implement multimodal connections to several parks in District 20 that will leverage City Parks Bond projects and improve safety for residents to access those parks, including connecting parks and ADA accommodations. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the public will benefit from being able to safely connect to the new and newly enhanced parks projects through improved multimodal infrastructure such as sidewalks, crosswalks, ADA accommodations, and traffic calming. The project will include adding sidewalks into Mills Pond Park from NW 9th Avenue where there are currently no accommodations and complete the missing sidewalk network and missing ADA connections between Lauderdale Manors Park and the new Chateau Park at NW 9th Avenue and Chateau Park Drive.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C 5305(a)(2).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick
Member of Congress