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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 Rick Case Housing Community Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project Habitat for Humanity of Broward, located at 888 NW 62nd Street, Fort Lauderdale, FL. The funding would be used to complete a 76-home community of one- and two-story single family homes with two parks. This housing community will provide affordable home ownership to Pompano Beach residents. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the average cost of a home in Broward County is close to \$600,000. According to the latest study completed 2022 by Jorge Perez Metropolitan Center, 95% of our population here in Broward cannot afford the median priced home.

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