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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Santa Margarita Fire Station Replacement project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Santa Margarita Fire District located at 22424 El Camino Real, Santa Margarita, CA 93453. The funding would be used for a project to complete a replacement of the fire Station for the Santa Margarita Fire District. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will replace the existing Station which is located in a 100-year flood zone and has been flooded three times since 1995. The relocation of the Station will be of great benefit to the community as during flood events all resources will be available to assist the community instead of tying up resources to mitigate the Station flooding.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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

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Salud Carbajal Member of Congress