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March 24, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 U.S. Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
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Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the construction of an Emergency Operations Center for the City of Calimesa in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive the funding is the City of Calimesa, located at 908 Park Avenue, Calimesa, CA 92320. This funding would be used to initiate construction of the Emergency Operations Center Project. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because of the significant increase in residential, commercial, and industrial growth and a devastating wildfire that impacted the City in 2019 – destroying over 100 homes and killing two residents.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 614 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5196c), as amended by section 202 of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 (9/11 Act).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ken Calvert".

KEN CALVERT
Member of Congress