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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the San Leandro Shoreline Development Project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of San Leandro, located at 835 East 14th Street, San Leandro, CA 94577. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve storm water, drinking water, recycled water, and wastewater systems in this area. The project would eliminate extensive paved surfaces and replace much of the area with park and green infrastructure that will vastly improve runoff from storm water and prevent the contamination of the wastewater system. The City will address risks to both public health and the environment by improving water quality and mitigating sea level rise.

The funding would be used to create a regional park along the East Bay shoreline with investments in clean water infrastructure and new recreation opportunities for residents. This would allow the city to improve wastewater and stormwater infrastructure at the site to protect the public health of constituents and the environment and aquatic resources along the watershed.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. 1381 et seq.

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

Sincerely,

Lateefah Simon
Member of Congress