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The Honorable Tom Cole Chair House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Sacramento County Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Sacramento County located at 700 H St, Sacramento, CA 95814.

The funding would be used for upgrading outdated security and technology systems to maintain all-hazards capability. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would further protect the center against cybersecurity and natural threats and improve the interoperability of the center as part of a regional operational resource to a broader comprehensive state and national emergency management system.

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,

Ami Bera, M.D. Member of Congress