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March 31, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Grand Avenue Improvements in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Escondido, located at 201 North Broadway Escondido, CA 92025.

The funding would be used for enhancing comfort and accessibility for shoppers and diners, improved crossing points and a traffic circle at Maple Street to calm traffic and improve safety, colored scored concrete, festoon lighting, sidewalk etchings, expanded outdoor dining areas, and gateway features, will further enhance a safe, enjoyable experience for thousands of visitors to businesses and events on Grand Ave.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project will result in the reduction of greenhouse emissions and improve safety. The Project will benefit low- and moderate-income persons as a catalyst for economic development.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Scott H. Peters".

Member of Congress