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March 27, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
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 Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for a Type III Brush Rig in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of San Marcos, located at 1 Civic Center Dr., San Marcos, CA 92069. The funding would be used to purchase a new Type III Brush Rig, or a wildland fire engine, for the purpose of improving the city's ability to fight wildfires. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the new fire engine will improve public safety in the city, aid neighboring jurisdictions during fire season, and improve training opportunities for the city's firefighters.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1).

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".

Scott H. Peters

Member of Congress

