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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman House Committee on Appropriations H-307, The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1016 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Boys & Girls Club of Cairo-Grady County Project Homerun project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Jackie Robinson Boys & Girls Club of Cairo-Grady County, located at 115 6th St. SW, Cairo, GA 39828. The funding would be used to construct an additional structure at the Boys & Girls Club location that will house a new gymnasium. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Club has physically outgrown its current location and is not able to accept any more club members due to space constraints. The Club provides a safe environment for the community's youth 3pm to 6pm each weekday and 9am to 5pm during the summers. All Club members are provided with homework help and various programs and activities to help build strong character and life skills.

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.

With warmest personal regards, I remain.

Sincerely, Sanford D. Bishop, Jr. Member of Congress