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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro  
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House Committee on Appropriations  
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Quitman County Athletic Complex project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Quitman County Board of Education, located at a 215 Kaigler Rd., Georgetown, GA 39854. The funding would be used to build an athletic complex that includes baseball, softball, soccer, and track & field. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the athletic complex will provide the opportunity for students to engage in outdoor learning experiences, host school competitions, and community events. For many years, the students of Quitman County Schools and the Georgetown-Quitman County community have not had adequate athletic fields, which has negatively impacted the school's ability to provide valuable outdoor learning and exercise experiences for students during the school day. It has also limited the school's ability to host competitive events and the community's ability to provide a youth recreation league for the children in our community.

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