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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro

House Committee on Appropriations

## Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

> ZOE LOFGREN 19TH DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

> > April 28, 2022

The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member

House Committee on Appropriations

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Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Agricultural Resilience Incentive (ARI) Program in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the County of Santa Clara, located at 70 West Hedding Street, East Wing, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Jose, CA 95110.

The funding would be used to expand a County pilot program to incentivize adoption of agricultural management practices that help sequester atmospheric carbon and improve soil health, water retention, and irrigation efficiency, which would benefit regional ecosystems, ag operations, and the public at large.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

ZOE LOFGREN / Member of Congress

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