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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Salinas Regional Soccer Complex in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the County of Monterey, located at 1441 Schilling Place Salinas, CA 93901. The funding would be used for expanding the complex with seven high-quality, regulation-seized grass soccer fields. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because The ability to host state-wide, regional, national, and international tournaments means it will spark tremendous economic activity, a measurable benefit for local businesses and the tax base.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Zoe Lofgren
Member of Congress