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The Honorable Tom Cole Chair U.S. House Committee on Appropriations H-130 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member U.S. House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Scherer Park Signature Playground in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Long Beach, located at 411 W Ocean Blvd, Long Beach, CA 90802.

The funding would be used for the construction of a new signature playground at Scherer Park. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will enhance outdoor recreational opportunities for individuals with disabilities and provide age-appropriate structures for children in the Long Beach community.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with the purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,

Nanette Barragan

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Member of Congress