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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Appropriations Committee H-307 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Linda Vista Innovation Center Support in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the San Diego County Office of Education, located at 6401 Linda Vista Road, San Diego, CA 92111. The funding would be used to replace windows on the building and redesign classrooms to include interactive components highlighting the San Diego priority sector jobs. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it provides an opportunity for students to engage with high-paying and high-demand careers, creating a stronger and more diverse future for San Diego's workforce.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,

Sara Jacobs Member of Congress