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May 23, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Municipality of Barceloneta " Seniors and Community Housing Project" in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Municipality of Barceloneta located at #35 Georgetti Street Barceloneta, Puerto Rico 00617. This project will support low- and moderate-income elderly residents in Barceloneta by funding the construction of 18 affordable housing units and two commercial spaces.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will support low- and moderate-income elderly residents in Barceloneta. The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,

Pablo José Hernández
Member of Congress