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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
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U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Fire Station #9 Improvements in Mission Viejo in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Orange County Fire Authority, located at 1 Fire Authority Road, Irvine, CA 92602.

The funding will be used to modernize and renovate Fire Station 9 in Mission Viejo, including interior improvements to dormitories, kitchen, and restroom facilities, as well as exterior upgrades such as roofing, painting, accessibility improvements, and related site work. These improvements will ensure the facility meets current operational and accessibility standards for emergency response personnel. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will rehabilitate aging public safety infrastructure that no longer adequately supports current emergency response demands in Mission Viejo. Federal investment will help ensure first responders have modern and functional facilities to serve a growing community within California's 40th Congressional District.

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

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

Sincerely,

Young Kim
Member of Congress