## **Congress of the United States** House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

May 23, 2025

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Rio San Gabriel Park Public Upgrades in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Downey, located at 11111 Brookshire Ave., Downey, California, 90241.

This project will fund deferred facilities and public restroom facility upgrades to Rio San Gabriel Park. The existing facilities have reached the end of service life and no longer meet the demands of the growing community and visitors at Rio San Gabriel Park. This project will ensure the health, safety, and comfort of park users while aligning with modern standards of accessibility and sanitation. The new facility will provide upgrades in compliance with Americans with Disabilities Acts requirements.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,

Robert Garcia Member of Congress