

Congress of the United States
Washington, DC 20515

March 31, 2023

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Ascension Parish's Project Monument in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Ascension Parish Economic Development Corporation, located at 3460 Hwy LA-44, LA 70725. The funding would be used for Project Monument implementation. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Project Monument is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will be creating jobs in an economically challenged area while developing an industry that focuses on carbon reduction, a vital tool in America's economic competitiveness, security, and health. The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,



Troy A. Carter, Sr.

Member of Congress