Congressman Jeff Flake

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Congressman Flake Spotlights Egregious Earmark of the Week

\$13,395,000 to Provide Economic Relief Due to New Fishing Limitations on Fishermen in Massachusetts

Mesa, Arizona – Republican Congressman Jeff Flake, who represents Arizona's Sixth District, today highlighted a pork project contained in the Omnibus Appropriations bill for fiscal year 2008.

This week's egregious earmark: \$13,395,000 to provide relief due to economic losses due to new fishing limitations on fishermen in Suffolk County, Massachusetts.

"Give a man an earmark and you have fed him for today..." said Flake.

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