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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Eldorado Valley Regional Public Safety Training Facility (EVRPSTF) in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Henderson Police Department and is located at 223 Lead St, Henderson, NV 89015. A joint venture between Henderson and Boulder City, the EVRPSTF was created to provide a location and the equipment needed for multi-jurisdictional training for local police, state, and federal law enforcement, firefighters, emergency medical response, and tactical teams throughout the Las Vegas Valley. This project expands the facility through the purchasing of equipment necessary to assemble a "training village," including an additional training simulator and computer equipment, and to enhance our ability to train on firing ranges and other training areas during hot summer months. The location and acreage of the EVRPSTF affords a unique opportunity to expand current training capabilities and facilities. Development of a training village will allow officers to be introduced to more realistic scenario-based training to simulate "real world" encounters. These scenarios will allow officers to both learn and demonstrate de-escalation techniques, which are essential to modern day policing. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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