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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro, Chair The Honorable Kay Granger, Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives

RE: CPF Member Certification for City of Woodland Project

Dear Chairman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I respectfully request funding (\$2,940,000) for the Lower Cache Creek Flood Risk Management Project (Lower Cache Creek, California) in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (SPK). The non-federal sponsor (City of Woodland) is located at 300 First Street, Woodland, CA, 95695.

The Community Project Funding requested will allow the City of Woodland to proceed with planning, engineering, and design for this proposed project for flood risk management. The Chief's report for this project was signed on June 21, 2021. I will be seeking Congressional authorization for construction in the forthcoming *Water Resources Development Act of 2022*.

Specifically, the requested Community Project Funding would allow the Army Corps, City of Woodland, and California's Central Valley Flood Protection Board to conclude a design agreement; prepare a project management plan; and initiate field work needed for the preparation of plans and specifications (such as borings, surveys, and hydraulic analysis) for the proposed project. The project will provide a 200-year level of flood protection to residents of the City of Woodland, complying with the State of California's flood protection requirement for urban areas. It is a responsible use of taxpayer funds for the aforementioned reasons.

Pursuant to Clause 17 of Rule XXIII of the U.S. House of Representatives, I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project or request. Thank you for your leadership and consideration.

Sincerely,

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JOHN GARAMENDI Member of Congress