

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-990

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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Guam Fishermen's Cooperative Facility project in the Fiscal Year 2022 Appropriations measure. The entity that will be receiving the funding for this project is the Guam Fishermen's Cooperative Association. The project location will be at Lot 12 Section 4, Greg D. Perez Marina, Hagåtña, Guam 96910.

The funding will be used for the construction of a new Guam Fishermen's Cooperative Facility that will include a seawall to shield fishermen's boats from inclement weather, a fuel station for fishing vessels, seafood receiving and processing station, a storefront for fishermen to market and sell their catch, vendor spaces for third-party fishing-related consumer equipment and goods, a meeting space for fishermen to congregate and meet, a maritime learning center designed to teach boater and marine safety and other related courses, and a maritime search and rescue base for the communication with and monitoring of fishing vessels off the coast of Guam. This state-of-the-art space and access to improved resources will be tremendously valuable to the community and crucial to the success of our local fishermen.

I certify that neither I, nor my immediate family, has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Michael F.Q. San Nicolas
Member of Congress
Guam