

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-1102

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The Honorable
Kay Granger
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable
Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for **Hāna Health Facilities Expansion Project** in Fiscal Year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is **Hāna Health** located at **4590 Hāna Highway, Hāna, Hawai'i 96713**.

The funding would be used to facilitate the expansion of the existing health center to include a dedicated 1,900 sq. ft. clinic that will offer specialty medical and dental services. The project also proposes on-site workforce housing to ensure adequate staffing at the rural-located facility. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because Hāna Health is the only health care provider in the Hāna district, and the integration of specialty care and health workforce housing is critical to ensuring continuity of care for patients on the island of Maui.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

Lastly, I certify that neither I nor anyone in my immediate family have a financial interest in this project.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Jill Tokuda
Member of Congress