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March 20, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
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 Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the **Kaua'i Hazardous Fuels Reduction** project in Fiscal Year 2027. The intended recipient is the **State of Hawai'i Agribusiness Development Corporation** located at **235 S. Beretania St., Ste 205 Honolulu, HI 96813**.

The funding would reduce wildfire risk by removing invasive vegetation and restoring native ecosystems in high-risk areas near communities and critical infrastructure to protect high-value agricultural lands on Kaua'i. This project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it would provide the Agribusiness Development Corporation, a state agency, and local stakeholders with resources to mitigate wildfire risk that would threaten crops, infrastructure, and surrounding communities.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 203 of the Stafford Act (42 U.S.C. 5133), as amended by Section 1234, National Public Infrastructure Pre-Disaster Hazard Mitigation, of the Disaster Recovery Reform Act (DRRA) of 2018.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

  
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Jill Tokuda  
Member of Congress