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I strongly urge Congress to include this Congressionally Directed Spending request as part of the federal appropriations process for FY24.

Sincerely,

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