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March 31, 2023

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

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

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

Thank you for your invitation to submit Community Project Funding requests for the Northern Mariana Islands.

I am requesting funding for the Rota Public Market project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Office of the Mayor, Municipality of Rota, Tatachok Village, Rota, MP 96951.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the funding will be used to develop a public market on the island of Rota that will focus on the sale of fresh and healthy products that are grown prepared and crafted locally. The public market shall promote businesses that are locally owned and operated and be an economic engine that will create entrepreneurial opportunities for residents.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,

**GREGORIO KILILI CAMACHO SABLAN**  
Member of Congress