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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Success Reservoir Enlargement Project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Army Corps of Engineers, South Pacific Division, Sacramento District, Tule River Spillway Enlargement Project located at 1325 J Street, Room 1640, Sacramento, California 95814.

The funding would be used to complete the Army Corps of Engineers' final work on Schafer Dam and the surrounding areas by reimbursing their non-federal LERRDS partner. As the Lake Success Enlargement Project reaches its final stages, the project is slated to more than double flood protection for the downstream basin communities. This funding would help the Army Corps of Engineers fulfill its obligation to reimburse its local partners for vital construction-related actions that were needed to complete the project.

This is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it ensures that the Lake Success Enlargement Project is completed, allowing the Army Corps of Engineers to steer their focus towards other valuable projects.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 10 of the Flood Control Act of 1944 (Pub. L. No. 78-534); and Section 101(b)(4) of the Water Resources Development Act of 1999 (Pub. L. No. 106-53). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Vince Fong". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Vince" and last name "Fong" clearly distinguishable.

VINCE FONG  
Member of Congress