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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
2362-B Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Georgia Institute of Technology in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is \$5 million, located at 311 Ferst Drive, Atlanta, GA 30332-0340. The funding would be used to establish and expand a system of sea-level sensors to monitor sea-level changes called the Coastal Equity and Resilience Hub (CEAR). CEAR would be operated by the Georgia Institute of Technology at Naval Submarine Base Kings Bay and along the coast of Georgia, which will develop the fundamental knowledge and tools to design adaptive coastal infrastructure and equitable resilience strategies under projected future sea level rise scenarios along the vulnerable Georgia coastline. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Please contact my office at 202-225-5831 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Earl L. "Buddy" Carter
Member of Congress