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May 23, 2025

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:

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

I am requesting funding for the ADA Compliance Initiative project for the Saipan International Airport in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Commonwealth Ports Authority, located at Francisco C. Ada/Saipan International Airport, Saipan, MP 96950. Funding would be used for Architectural/Engineering Design Services to enhance accessibility in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would improve accessibility for individuals with disabilities or health and medical issues.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 49 U.S.C. 47100 et seq.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

  
**KIMBERLYN KING-HINDS**  
Member of Congress