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April 27, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Casitas Community Project in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the El Paso Center for Children, Inc at 2200 N. Stevens, El Paso, TX 79930.

The funding would be used to purchase/acquire land and build a 15-unit tiny home community for young adults ages 18-24 who are experiencing homelessness. Although these transition-aged youth are able to access some limited programs specific for their age, there are simply not enough housing options for this particular age group.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Veronica Escobar".

Veronica Escobar  
Member of Congress