April 26, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
House Appropriations Committee
H 307, The Capitol
Washington D.C. 20510

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Building
Washington D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for ‘Āina Momona Community-Led Stewardship Project. The entity to receive this project is the ‘Āina Momona located at 6684 Kamehameha V Hwy, Kaunakakai, HI 96748. This project will take place on the island Moloka‘i at Keawanui Fishpond, and in the Luluku area of O‘ahu at the Aloha ‘Āina Health and Learning Center and will focus on restoring land degradation needs in both communities. This project will support community-led restoration that will revitalize degraded environments. This project will also work to build community capacity and a scalable remediation plan, they will create an effective community-led stewardship of land and food production resources throughout Hawai‘i.

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

Sincerely

Kaialii Kahele
Member of Congress