



U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515

3/27/2023

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Village of Key Biscayne Coastal Storm Risk Management Feasibility Study for fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Key Biscayne located at 88 West McIntyre Street, Key Biscayne, FL 33149.

This funding would go toward funding the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Coastal Storm Risk Management Study that will create a more precise risk model and allow for the study of flood risks from the bayside of Key Biscayne. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will lead to infrastructure solutions that will protect over 15,000 people, close to \$10B of assessed property, the Village's economic prosperity, and a vibrant quality of life.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by P.L. 84-71, June 15, 1955 (69 Stat. 132).

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, appearing to read 'M. Elvira Salazar', with a stylized, flowing script.

Congresswoman Maria Elvira Salazar