



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

March 27, 2026

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the PortMiami Roadway Improvements project for Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is PortMiami, located at 1080 Caribbean Way, Suite 500, Miami, FL 33132.

Funding will be used to improve and expand the Port's tunnel, roadway surfaces, and stormwater drainage. This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding because it will reduce port traffic in downtown Miami, speed the movement of goods, and improve transportation safety for a port of national economic significance and a major gateway for U.S. trade, which is responsible for \$61 billion in economic impact.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 U.S.C. 133.

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 that reads "M. Salazar".

María Salazar
Member of Congress