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March 27, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-305, the Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth HOB  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for **Los Angeles County Multifamily Cooling Program** in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the **Clean Power Alliance of Southern California**, located at **810 S. Grand Avenue, Suite 400, Los Angeles, CA 90017**. The funding will be used to **provide low- to moderate-income tenants with plug-in efficient cooling options through the installation of 2,000 portable electric heating ventilation and air-conditioning systems (otherwise known as room heat pump units)**. Los Angeles County adopted a maximum temperature threshold ordinance that requires multifamily properties to provide tenants solutions to keep their indoor areas at 82 degrees Fahrenheit or lower, in 2024 Los Angeles County experienced 24 extreme heat days above 90 degrees and nearly a third of multifamily buildings lack air-conditioning. This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because **it will provide renters in underserved communities – the populations most impacted by high heat events – with cooling systems, reducing heat-related illnesses.**

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in **42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(4)**.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gilbert R. Cisneros, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Gilbert R. Cisneros, Jr.  
Member of Congress