



Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-0916

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House Appropriations Committee
Homeland Security Appropriations Subcommittee
RHOB 2006
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman Roybal-Allard & Ranking Minority Member Chuck
Fleischmann:

I am requesting \$350,000 in funding for the Town of Longboat Key, Florida, for a
flooding mitigation project, in Fiscal Year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Longboat Key,
Florida, located at 501 Bay Isles Road, Longboat Key, FL 34228.

I am submitting this Community Project Funding request on behalf of the Town of
Longboat Key. The funding will enable the Town to elevate a roadway to mitigate
against flooding that negatively impacts both first responder access and local
resident access. The roadway is also adjacent to fringe mangrove forests and a
bayou area directly connected to Sarasota Bay. Elevating the roadway is also
intended to preclude harmful impacts to the forests and the Bay.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Vern Buchanan".

Vern Buchanan
Member of Congress