

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515-0502

March 17, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chair  
House Appropriations Committee  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
1036 Longworth Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the **Type 1 Wildland Urban Interface Fire Engine** project in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is **Stinson Beach Fire Protection District**, located at 3410 Shoreline Highway, Stinson Beach CA 94970.

The funding would be used to acquire a Type 1 WUI fire engine. Stinson Beach is a rural coastal community with limited emergency infrastructure and restricted road access, making rapid response capabilities critical. The Type 1 WUI Fire Engine will allow the SBFPD expand our range and capabilities and respond to the widest variety of emergencies most efficiently.

This project has a federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will ensure adequate care of significant public lands, roadways, trails, and coastline as well as the many visitors that come to enjoy them. It will allow the SBFPD the ability to reach and extinguish wildfires on more acres of public land more quickly.

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

Sincerely,



**JARED HUFFMAN**  
Member of Congress