



Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-5200

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The Honorable Steve Womack
Chair
Subcommittee on THUD & Related Agencies
2358-A Rayburn HOB
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable James E. Clyburn
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on THUD & Related Agencies
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Womack and Ranking Member Clyburn,

I am requesting funding for the Port of Pago Pago Harbor in Fiscal Year 2027.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the American Samoa Department of Port Administration, located at 639 Airport Road, Pago Pago, American Samoa, 96799.

The funding would be used for dock repairs/ replacements, container yard upgrades, cargo-handling equipment improvements, utility enhancements, and safety/ resilience measures.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Port of Pago Pago is the only source of resupply in the territory of American Samoa and the only American deep-water port in the South Pacific.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 46 USC 54301.

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

Thank you for your consideration of this project and your leadership on the Appropriations Committee.

Sincerely,

Aumua Amata Coleman Radewagen
Member of Congress