

adverse impacts to the aquatic ecosystem caused by maintenance of the river's navigation channel. This includes habitat rehabilitation and measures to determine if enhancement projects are effectively preserving and improving fish and wildlife habitat on the river.

Requesting Member: Congressman TODD AKIN

Bill Number: H.R. 3183

Account: Army Corps of Engineers, Construction

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: City of Valley Park

Address of Requesting Entity: 320 Benton, Valley Park, Missouri 63088

Description of Request: Provides an earmark of \$600,000. The flood control portions of this 3.2 mile levee project in St. Louis County, Missouri on the left descending bank of the Meramec River are largely complete. Funds would be used to install seepage controls at railroad embankment, prepare the final operation and maintenance manuals, prep final as-built drawings, conduct final reviews and audits, and perform financial close-out of the flood damage reduction component of the project.

RECOGNIZING CATHERINE SOO  
JUNG HAN

HON. MIKE QUIGLEY

OF ILLINOIS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, July 15, 2009*

Mr. QUIGLEY. Madam Speaker, I rise today in recognition of Catherine Soo Jung Han. Ms. Han is a second generation Korean who, in taking after her late father, tirelessly dedicates her time to the well-being of others in the community. Ms. Han's father was a Tae Kwon Do Master in Chicago and he would often give up his own possessions in order to help those in need.

Ms. Han is currently a board member with the Korean American Resource and Cultural Center. She served as Board President from 2006 to 2008 and as Board Secretary from 2003 to 2006. Ms. Han has been instrumental in the KRCC's Project Participate, which registers, educates and mobilizes over 8,000 Korean-American voters in local, state, and federal elections.

Ms. Han is currently the only female performer in Il Kwa Nori, the KRCC's professional pungmul, traditional Korean drumming, troupe which performs both within and outside the Korean American community 25 times annually. In addition to performing, Ms. Han teaches youth workshops in drumming. Her influence on youth extends further for she encourages children she helps to make volunteerism a priority in their lives.

I am honored to recognize Catherine Soo Jung Han. She exemplifies the values of integrity and compassion, and those who have been inspired by her will be the living legacy of both her efforts and her father's. I thank her and those who have joined her in strengthening the community.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

HON. J. GRESHAM BARRETT

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, July 15, 2009*

Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina. Madam Speaker, unfortunately I missed recorded votes on the House floor on Tuesday, July 14, 2009.

Had I been present, I would have voted "nay" on rollcall vote No. 531 (on Motion to Adjourn); "nay" on rollcall vote No. 532 (on Motion to Adjourn), "yea" on rollcall vote No. 533 (on motion to suspend the rules and agree to H. Res. 612), "yea" on rollcall vote No. 534 (on motion to suspend the rules and agree to H. Res. 469), "yea" on rollcall vote No. 535 (on motion to suspend the rules and agree to H.R. 1037), "yea" on rollcall vote No. 536 (on motion to suspend the rules and agree to H.R. 402).

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. RODNEY P. FRELINGHUYSEN

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, July 15, 2009*

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of the Fiscal Year 2010 Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act.

Bill: H.R. 3183, Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: Army Corps of Engineers, Section 205

Legal Name and Address of Requesting Entity: The entity to receive funding for this project is the Army Corps of Engineers North Atlantic Division, located at Jacob K. Javits Federal Building, 26 Federal Plaza, Room 2109, and New York, NY 10278-0090

Description of Request: H.R. 3183 lists the Jackson Brook project under the Section 205 CAP Program, which is authorized by Congress. The funding would be used for completion of design. Flood damages have occurred to the homes and property located on the lower part of the Jackson Brook Watershed, as well as damages to the public park facilities. Flooding has caused siltation in Hedden Pond.

Bill: H.R. 3183, Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: Army Corps of Engineers, Construction

Legal Name and Address of Requesting Entity: The entity to receive funding for this project is the Army Corps of Engineers North Atlantic Division, located at Jacob K. Javits Federal Building, 26 Federal Plaza, Room 2109, and New York, NY 10278-0090 Description of Request: H.R. 3183 includes \$5,000,000 for the Passaic River Basin Flood Management project, which is authorized by Congress. The funding would be used for the continued acquisition and removal from the State defined Floodway of homes along the Passaic River. The authorization specifies that

the buy-outs are to be from willing sellers. The flooding has long been a problem in the Passaic River Basin resulting in significant property loss and the loss of life.

Bill: H.R. 3183, Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: Department of Energy, Office of Science

Legal Name and Address of Requesting Entity: The entity to receive funding for this project is the College of Saint Elizabeth located at 2 Convent Station, Morristown, NJ 07960.

Description of Request: H.R. 3183 includes \$1,000,000 for the College of Saint Elizabeth. It is my understanding the funding will assist the College with the partial renovation of the teaching and learning spaces dedicated to Nursing, Allied Health Studies, Health Care Management, and Foods and Nutrition programs. Additionally, the funding will assist the college with renovation of the teaching and learning spaces dedicated to programs in Biology, Chemistry, Applied Science, and Mathematics. The funding will provide for design, construction, and outfitting of classroom, lab, research and support spaces for these programs. The physical renewal of these spaces is being undertaken in conjunction with significant curricular revision of the College's undergraduate program with the goal of aligning pedagogy, technology, and teaching and learning spaces in ways that will better serve the educational needs of the wide range of students who use these facilities on a regular basis.

Bill: H.R. 3183, Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: Department of Energy, EERE  
Legal Name and Address of Requesting Entity: The entity to receive funding is Morris County Improvement Authority located at P.O. Box 900, Morristown, NJ 07960-0900.

Description of Request: H.R. 3183 includes \$2,000,000 for the Morris County Renewable Energy Initiative. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for the Morris County Renewable Energy Initiative for design, acquisition and installation of renewable energy equipment and facilities such as solar panels.

BM: H.R. 3183, Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: Department of Energy, EERE  
Legal Name and Address of Requesting Entity: The entity to receive funding for this project is the Newark Museum located at 49 Washington Street, Newark, NJ 07102.

Description of Request: H.R. 3183 includes \$500,000 for the Newark Museum. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for green energy enhancements including various applications of water to water heat pumps, geothermal heating and photovoltaic collection units. It is my understanding that the Museum will be one of the most energy efficient in the United States and will be a model for future institutions.

Bill: H.R. 3183, Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: Department of Energy, EERE  
Legal Name and Address of Requesting Entity: The entity to receive funding is Somerset County located at 20 Grove Street, P.O. Box

3000, Somerville, NJ 08876. Description of Request: H.R. 3183 includes \$2,000,000 for the Somerset County Renewable Energy Initiative. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for the Somerset County Renewable Energy Initiative for design, acquisition and installation of renewable energy equipment and facilities such as solar panels.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. LEONARD LANCE

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, July 15, 2009*

Mr. LANCE. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 3183—the FY 2010 Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act:

Army Corps of Engineers (Investigations), Millstone River Basin, NJ Flood Damage Reduction and Ecosystem Restoration Study—\$250,000. The funding would be used to continue the federally authorized feasibility study to develop flood damage reduction and ecosystem restoration alternatives in the Millstone River Basin. The entity to receive this funding is: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District, 26 Federal Plaza, New York, NY 10278

Army Corps of Engineers (Investigations) Rahway River Basin, NJ Flood Damage Reduction and Ecosystem Restoration Study—\$300,000.

The funding would be used to continue the federally authorized feasibility study to develop flood damage reduction and ecosystem restoration alternatives in the Rahway River Basin.

The entity to receive this funding is: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District, 26 Federal Plaza, New York, NY 10278

Department of Energy (EERE) Energy Audit, Efficiency Improvements, and Renewable Energy Installations, Township of Branchburg, NJ—\$1,000,000.

The funding would be used for engineering, construction and administrative costs for the design and installation of NJ Clean Energy Program—local government energy audit energy efficiency improvements and for the installation of Renewable Energy Installations (solar power) for major components of Branchburg Township Buildings and Grounds facilities.

The entity to receive this funding is: Township of Branchburg, 1077 Highway 202 North, Branchburg Township, NJ 08876

Department of Energy (EERE) Municipal Building Energy Efficient Window Replacement Program, Township of Cranford, NJ—\$180,000.

This money will be spent to reduce the energy costs of heating and air-conditioning the Municipal Building by replacing 45 old windows that were built in 1960 with energy efficient windows.

The entity to receive this funding is: Township of Cranford, 8 Springfield Avenue, Cranford, NJ 07016

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. TODD TIAHRT

OF KANSAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, July 15, 2009*

Mr. TIAHRT. Madam Speaker, in accordance with the February 2008 New Republican Earmark Standards Guidance, I submit the following in regards to H.R. 3183, the Fiscal Year 2010 Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act:

Bureau of Reclamation—Wichita Project, Equus Beds Division, Kansas. H.R. 3183, the Fiscal Year 2010 Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act contains \$600,000 for the Equus Beds Division of the Wichita Project in the Bureau of Reclamation's Water and Related Resources account. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Wichita, located at City Hall, 455 North Main, Wichita, KS 67202.

The funding would be used for funding the design on Phase II of the Equus Beds Aquifer Storage and Recovery project.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers—El Dorado Lake, Kansas. H.R. 3183, the Fiscal Year 2010 Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act contains \$1,586,000 for El Dorado Lake, Kansas, in the Corps of Engineers' Operations and Management account. The entity to receive funding for this project is the United States Army Corps of Engineers, Tulsa District located at 1645 S. 101 East Ave., Tulsa, OK 74128.

The funding would be used to remote control the flood gates to improve efficiencies within the Tulsa district.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers—Wichita Area Drainage Master Plan, Kansas. H.R. 3183, the Fiscal Year 2010 Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act contains \$550,000 for Collection and Study of Basic Data—Flood Plain Management Services, Wichita Area Drainage Master Plan, Kansas in the Corps of Engineers' Investigations account. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Wichita, located at City Hall, 455 North Main, Wichita, KS 67202.

Funding will be used to conduct a drainage master plan for the Wichita area. Development of a Wichita Area Drainage Master Plan will ensure the economic wellbeing of the Wichita area by providing a comprehensive plan for addressing drainage issues.

Department of Energy—National Institute for Aviation Research, Advanced Materials Research. H.R. 3183, the Fiscal Year 2010 Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act contains \$1,500,000 for the National Institute for Aviation Research, Advanced Materials Research, in the Department of Energy's Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy account. The entity to receive funding for this project is Wichita State University located at 1845 Fairmount St, Wichita, KS 67260.

The funding would be used for green wind energy and sustainability research activities.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. MIKE ROGERS

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, July 15, 2009*

Mr. ROGERS of Alabama. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership stand-

ards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 3183—Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (AL)

Bill Number: H.R. 3183

Account: Corps of Engineers, Section 206 account

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: City of Phenix City, AL

Address of Requesting Entity: 601 12th Street, Phenix City, Alabama 36867

Description of Request: "Chattahoochie River Dam Removal" Taxpayer justification—It is my understanding that this funding will be used to remove two small, under utilized and outdated low-head dams, restore fish habitat for the shoal bass and other species in a 2.3 mile stretch of the Chattahoochee River and allow the use of a natural white-water course for related recreation consistent with Corps planning policy. Together these project objectives will improve fish habitat and environmental quality and advance ecotourism and economic development for Alabama and Georgia communities.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (AL)

Bill Number: H.R. 3183

Account: DOE, EERE account, \$1,500,000

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Auburn University, Auburn, AL

Address of Requesting Entity: 102 Samford Hall, Auburn, Alabama 36849

Description of Request: "Auburn University, Biomass to Liquid Fuels and Electric Power Research" taxpayer justification—It is my understanding that the funding will help the development of renewable, liquid transportation fuel alternatives from domestic sources, will improve U.S. energy security by decreasing our dependence on foreign oil sources, development of renewable energy systems will reduce net greenhouse gas emissions, and the development of integrated biorefining systems that can produce liquid fuels from biomass will create new jobs in rural communities throughout the U.S.

Requesting Member: Congressman MIKE ROGERS (AL)

Bill Number: H.R. 3183

Account: DOE, EERE account, \$300,000

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind, Talladega, AL

Address of Requesting Entity: 205 E. South Street, Talladega, Alabama 35161

Description of Request: "Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind Biodiesel Project Green" taxpayer justification—It is my understanding that the funding will implement a multifaceted biodiesel training, production and public education program. AIDB views alternative energy projects, like Project Green, as a viable means to not only reduce U.S. dependence on foreign oil, but to also to deflect fuel prices, support local agriculture, aid city sewer infrastructures, cleanse the environment, lower carbon dioxide emissions, educate Alabama's youth, promote public awareness and develop work skills among those with disabilities (an untapped labor pool) that can transfer into a variety of employment settings. It is an excellent model for replication on a national scale.