

As requested by me, Rep. ANH "JOSEPH" CAO, H.R. 3293—the Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations Act, 2010 provides for City of New Orleans for facilities and equipment associated with the replacement of Methodist Hospital. This is in the Health Resources and Services Administration (Health Facilities and Services) account in the amount of \$450,000. This funding would help the City of New Orleans and the Orleans Parish Hospital Service to re-establish acute care hospital services in New Orleans East.

As requested by me, Rep. ANH "JOSEPH" CAO, H.R. 3293—the Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations Act, 2010 provides for the Mary Queen of Vietnam Community Development Corporation in New Orleans. This is in the Health Resources and Services Administration (Health Facilities and Services) account in the amount of \$400,000. This funding would help build a community owned health care center to serve the African-American, Latino, Vietnamese and Non-hispanic White community.

As requested by me, Rep. ANH "JOSEPH" CAO, H.R. 3293—the Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations Act, 2010 provides for the Xavier University of New Orleans. This is in the Health Resources and Services Administration (Health Facilities and Services) account in the amount of \$350,000. This funding will go toward the Xavier University Pharmacy Renovation that will complement the College of Pharmacy building expansion. With the addition and renovation, Xavier's pharmacy facilities will include new state of the art teaching labs, classrooms, lecture rooms, additional teaching and research laboratories, a mock pharmacy skills lab, a drug information center, and a multi-purpose auditorium equipped with the latest technological equipment.

As requested by me, Rep. ANH "JOSEPH" CAO, H.R. 3293—the Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations Act, 2010 provides for the Tulane University of New Orleans. This is in the Employment and Training Administration (Training & Employment Services) in the amount of \$250,000. This funding will go toward the establishment of a Community Health Worker Training Institute as a component of the Tulane/RAND Center for Health and Society in Louisiana. The Institute will serve as a regional resource for training with the mission to improve health and reduce disparities in communities through community health worker education and cost-effective programming and will train 100 CHWs annually to engage in individual- and community-level health efforts including health outreach, patient care management, and health advocacy.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. KEVIN BRADY

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, July 23, 2009

Mr. BRADY of Texas. 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. 3293—Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman KEVIN BRADY, Texas 8th Congressional District

Bill Number: H.R. 3293—Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010

Project: Pulmonary Hypertension Awareness Program

Account: Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Requesting Entity: Pulmonary Hypertension Association

Address of Requesting Entity: 801 Roeder Rd., Suite 400, Silver Spring, MD 20910

I have supported strengthening Pulmonary Hypertension (PH) education for over ten years; and for this reason and for the third year in a row, I have requested funding to strengthen and continue a successful partnership between the non-profit Pulmonary Hypertension Association and the Centers for Disease Control. PH is a serious and often fatal condition where the blood pressure in the lungs rises to dangerously high levels. In PH patients the walls of the arteries that take blood from the right side of the heart to the lungs thicken and constrict. As a result, the right side of the heart has to pump harder to move blood into the lungs, causing it to enlarge and ultimately fail.

This request will allow the partners to continue to develop a pulmonary hypertension awareness program to better educate the medical community and the public about the disease, and lead to earlier diagnosis and longer life spans.

The \$250,000 included in this bill for this project will be allocated to continue two components in the fight against pulmonary hypertension: the PHA Online University, a curriculum-based website for medical professionals, and a significant expansion of PHAware, a grassroots media campaign.

I also appreciate the Committee's support through report language encouraging further collaboration and research efforts on pulmonary hypertension within government agencies. The efforts of these organizations on issues including lung transplantation, the establishment of a PH Clinical Research Network and the increase in pulmonary hypertension diagnoses related to the abuse of methamphetamine will further our understanding of this disease.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. BRETT GUTHRIE

OF KENTUCKY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, July 23, 2009

Mr. GUTHRIE. 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. 3288, the Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman BRETT GUTHRIE

Bill Number: H.R. 3288

Account: FTA/Bus and Bus Facilities

Recipient: Audubon Area Community Services, 1800 W. Fourth Street, Owensboro, KY 42304

Description of Request: Provide \$1,350,000 for a facility to maintain the bus fleet in order to ensure continued services to the region.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

### HON. WALTER B. JONES

OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, July 23, 2009

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

Rep. WALTER B. JONES

Project: Beaufort Harbor, NC

Recipient: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers—Wilmington District

Account: Operations and Maintenance

Amount: \$250,000

Explanation: The funding will allow for maintenance dredging of Bulkhead Channel, which is the main waterway entrance to the Town of Beaufort from the Morehead City Harbor Federal Navigation Project and the Atlantic Ocean. The Harbor is used annually by thousands of commercial fishing vessels, sport fishing vessels and recreational boaters, and its continued operation is critical to the regional economy.

Rep. WALTER B. JONES

Project: Bogue Inlet, NC

Recipient: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers—Wilmington District

Account: Operations and Maintenance

Amount: \$325,000

Explanation: The funding will allow for maintenance dredging of Bogue Inlet. The inlet is used by commercial and charter fishing vessels, recreational boaters and the U.S. Coast Guard. Without dredging, the inlet will shoal up and become impassable, with dangerous consequences for the local economy and the safety of watermen.

Rep. WALTER B. JONES

Project: Manteo (Shallowbag Bay), NC

Recipient: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers—Wilmington District

Account: Operations and Maintenance

Amount: \$3,945,000

Explanation: The funding will provide continued maintenance dredging of Oregon Inlet. Without dredging, the inlet channel would quickly become impassable to many of the Coast Guard and commercial and recreational fishing vessels that depend on it for access to the Atlantic Ocean, and the local economy would be hurt severely.

Rep. WALTER B. JONES

Project: Morehead City Harbor, NC

Recipient: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers—Wilmington District

Account: Operations and Maintenance

Amount: \$9,500,000

Explanation: The funding will be used to perform maintenance dredging to the minimum width within the entrance channel, which is critical for maintaining safe navigation for the commercial and recreational vessels that use the channel to access Morehead City Port. Dredged material would be placed along the adjacent shorelines of Ft. Macon St. Park and Atlantic Beach, which would protect communities from future storm events. The funds would also be used to continue the Dredged Material Management Plan, which is necessary in light of new information concerning the harbor maintenance project's impacts to adjacent coastal environments articulated in

the Corps' Section 111 report (2001) and a separate report prepared for Carteret County by an independent coastal engineering firm.

Rep. WALTER B. JONES

Project: New River Inlet, NC

Recipient: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Wilmington District

Account: Operations and Maintenance

Amount: \$700,000

Explanation: The funding will be used to provide for continued maintenance dredging of New River Inlet, which is the only waterway connecting New River to the Atlantic Ocean. The inlet is in the heart of Camp Lejeune Marine Corps Base, and proper maintenance of the channel is essential to Marine Corps training and operations. It is also important to Eastern North Carolina's commercial fishermen and recreational boaters.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

#### HON. JEFF FORTENBERRY

OF NEBRASKA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, July 23, 2009

Mr. FORTENBERRY. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on member requests, I am submitting the following information regarding the earmarks I received as part of H.R. 3288, the FY10 Department of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act:

Requesting Member: Congressman JEFF FORTENBERRY

Bill Number: H.R. 3228, FY10 Department of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act

Account: Surface Transportation Priorities  
Project Name: Antelope Valley Project Transportation Improvements  
Amount: \$750,000

Name and Address of Requesting Entity: City of Lincoln located at 555 S. 10th Street, Lincoln, Nebraska 68508

Description: The City of Lincoln is committing significant resources for road and pedestrian improvements associated with Antelope Valley. Some of the important projects that remain in the \$125 million transportation component of Antelope Valley Project include: construction of 3.35 miles of roadway (including the Antelope Valley Parkway from Vine Street to Capitol Parkway) to improve traffic in the City's central core and Northeast Lincoln; reducing through traffic congestion on the University campus and on downtown streets; eliminating two dangerous mainline at-grade rail crossings, and providing a new overpass (16th Street Overpass) to the State Fair Park, Devaney Sports Center, state military areas, and surrounding neighborhoods.

Requesting Member: Congressman JEFF FORTENBERRY

Bill Number: H.R. 3288, FY10 Department of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act

Account: Economic Development Initiative  
Project Name: Boys Town Building Construction

Amount: \$1,250,000

Name and Address of Requesting Entity: Boys Town located at 14100 Crawford Street, Boys Town, Nebraska 68010.

Description: Boys Town, Nebraska (a non-profit, non-sectarian organization) would use this funding to increase the number of at-risk girls and boys, and their families, served at the Boys Town USA home campus in Omaha, Nebraska. The funding would help fund the construction of a new totally comprehensive child and family services facility with increased capacity to serve more than double the population of children and families currently served of approximately 1,000. Boys Town will be providing at least \$7.25 million in matching funds towards the requested federal share of the project. This multidimensional service facility will include the broad range of medical and juvenile justice delinquency services so that at-risk girls and boys (and their families) can have all child related disorders and care provided. Some of the services included, but not limited to, in this facility will include juvenile justice evaluations, services to prevent delinquency and school failure, and parenting skill building services to help parents become more effective at dealing with a variety of child disorders and issues. It is expected that through these services, youth recidivism of criminal behavior will be greatly reduced as will the need for further out-of home-placement, including that of a correctional or prison facility. Youth will be prepared to be productive members of society.

Requesting Member: Congressman JEFF FORTENBERRY

Bill Number: H.R. 3288, FY10 Department of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development and Related Agencies Appropriations Act

Account: Economic Development Initiative

Project Name: CEDARS Children's Crisis Center Building Construction

Amount: \$200,000

Name and Address of Requesting Entity: CEDARS Youth Services, Inc., located at 620 North 48th Street, Lincoln, Nebraska 68504.

Description: The funding will be used for construction of a new Children's Crisis Center for abused, homeless, and runaway youth in Southeast Nebraska. CEDARS Youth Services plans to build a children's crisis center to provide short-term emergency shelter, immediate professional assessment of each child's needs, intense family-centered therapeutic services, and an environment that inspires a rapid return to stable and enduring family living. The 18,000 square foot facility will not only provide immediate safety and protection for vulnerable children and youth across the Midwest, but also a comfortable family-friendly setting for them to begin reunification or to meet prospective foster parents in a safe, professional supervised setting. While primarily helping persons from the Midwest area, the Center has recently served youth from the states of Tennessee, Georgia, California, Michigan, Texas and others. CEDARS is the only emergency shelter provider for children and youth in Southeast Nebraska, and this children's crisis center will expand the current service capacity by as many as 12 children each day. This is a 50% increase.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

#### HON. KEVIN MCCARTHY

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, July 23, 2009

Mr. MCCARTHY of California. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership guidelines on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I requested that were included as part of H.R. 3293, the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman KEVIN MCCARTHY

Bill Number: H.R. 3293

Account: Department of Education, Fund for the Improvement for Post Secondary Education

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Kern Community College District

Address of Requesting Entity: 2100 Chester Avenue, Bakersfield, California 93301

Description of Request: \$250,000 was included for the Kern Community College District (KCCD) to purchase wind, solar, and other renewable energy equipment for training renewable energy technicians and engineers, and for institutionalization of curriculum for the Renewable Energy Regional Workforce Training program at KCCD affiliated schools (Bakersfield College, Cerro Coso College, and Porterville College), as well as Taft College. Kern County produces over 30% of wind-generated electricity in California and 5% in the nation, as well as ranks 4th in California in potential solar power generating capacity. As more emphasis is placed on renewable and clean energy, estimates indicate there will be a need to fill several thousand new jobs in the region over the next 5 years to meet industry need. This KCCD training program will help ensure the U.S. workforce has the skills to fill today and tomorrow's renewable energy jobs.

#### EARMARK DECLARATION

#### HON. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, July 23, 2009

Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of the H.R. 3293, Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, FY2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, FY2010

Account: Department of Education, Higher Education

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: St. Thomas University

Address of Requesting Entity: 16401 NW 37th Avenue, Miami Gardens, FL 33054

Description of Request: I am proud to have secured \$300,000 to offer a professional development program to advance the teaching of