

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

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The Honorable Tammy Baldwin
Chairman
Subcommittee on Agriculture,
Rural Development, Food and Drug
Administration, and Related Agencies
Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable John Hoeven
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Agriculture,
Rural Development, Food and Drug
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Dear Chairman Baldwin and Ranking Member Hoeven,

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2022 Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies appropriations bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,



Jeffrey A. Merkley
United States Senator