June 24, 2021

The Honorable Jeff Merkley Chairman Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Lisa Murkowski Ranking Member Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Merkley and Ranking Member Murkowski,

In accordance with Senate Rule XLIV, 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 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

I appreciate your consideration of these congressionally directed spending items. Please do not hesitate to contact my Policy Director Benjamin Rhodeside, at 202-224-2854, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Tammy Duckworth United States Senator