

UNITED STATES SENATE

April 4, 2023

The Honorable Jeff Merkley Chairman Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Committee on Appropriations 142 Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510 The Honorable Lisa Murkowski Ranking Member Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Committee on Appropriations 125 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Merkley and Ranking Member Murkowski

As your committee begins consideration of the Fiscal Year 2024 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, I urge your support for the following items that are important to both South Carolina and the nation.

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 2024 Interior*, *Environment*, and *Related Agencies Appropriations Act*, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Again thank you for your consideration of these requests and please do not hesitate to call me directly or Scott Graber of my staff at (202) 224-6437 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Lindsey O. Graham United States Senator