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The Honorable David E. Price
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The Honorable Mario Diaz- Balart
Ranking Member
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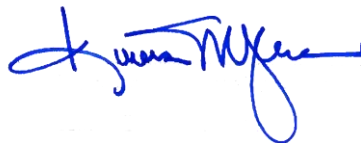
Dear Chair and Ranking Member:

Pursuant to the processes outlined by the U.S. House Committee on Appropriations and the U.S. House of Representatives, I am requesting funding for the project to "Restore and Revitalize the North and South Park Squares of Mount Vernon Place, Baltimore City" in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Mount Vernon Place Conservancy located at P.O. Box 2394, Baltimore MD 21203.

The proposed \$1,000,000 would be used to "will support the full restoration and revitalization of Mount Vernon Place, and will enable this National Historic Landmark District to endure throughout the 21st century. The surrounding park squares were redesigned to their current state by Carrère and Hastings in 1917-20 and are now 100 years old. Not only is the physical historic marble and granite fabric crumbling and unstable, but all of its systems are failing as there has been no major investment in the infrastructure since it was built. This project will restore the historic elements of the squares while making them more resilient for 21st century use and needs."

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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Member of Congress