

United States Senate  
WASHINGTON, DC 20510

March 31, 2023

The Honorable Martin Heinrich  
Chair  
Senate Committee on Appropriations  
Subcommittee on the Agriculture, Rural  
Development, Food and Drug  
Administration, and Related Agencies  
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable John Hoeven  
Ranking Member  
Senate Committee on Appropriations  
Subcommittee on the Agriculture, Rural  
Development, Food and Drug  
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Dear Chair Heinrich 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 2024 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "C. Murphy".

Christopher S. Murphy  
United States Senator