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## United States Senate

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April 4, 2023

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

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

Dear Chairman Merkley and Ranking Member Murkowski:

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 Subcommittee legislation, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Please feel free to contact me or Wes King on my staff at [wes\\_king@brown.senate.gov](mailto:wes_king@brown.senate.gov), 202-880-2300 (cell#), if you have any questions, comments, or concerns.

Sincerely,



Sherrod Brown  
United States Senator