

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-0926**

April 11, 2024

The Honorable Mike Rogers  
Chairman  
Committee on Armed Services  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Adam Smith  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Armed Services  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Rogers and Ranking Member Smith:

I am requesting funding for Joint Interagency Task Force - South (JIATF-S) Command and Control Facility in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is U.S. Southern Command, 9301 NW 33<sup>rd</sup> St, Doral, FL, 33172.

The funding would be used to construct a five-story Command and Control facility for JIATF-S located at Truman Annex, Naval Air Station Key West, FL. This project encompasses, an operations area that includes special use space for a Sensitive Compartmented Information Facility (SCIF), Operations Center (OC), and Network Operations Center (NOC), and an administrative area divided into specified security zones.

The project has a federal nexus because the requested funding would be for purposes authorized by 10 U.S.C. Chapter 169.

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

Sincerely,



Congressman Carlos A. Gimenez  
Florida's 28th Congressional District