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The Honorable James P. McGovern, Chairman The Honorable Tom Cole, Ranking Member House Committee on Rules United States House of Representatives The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Jim and Tom,

I am writing to commend your joint efforts to address hunger in America. It sure brings back fond memories of working with George McGovern many years ago. Some thought we were an odd couple, but I still believe bipartisanship can work effectively.

The 1969 White House Conference on Food, Nutrition, and Health was a call to action that led to the development of critical programs that continue to support millions of Americans five decades later. I remain proud of the work Senator McGovern and I did then, and I endorse your effort to secure a second White House Conference to identify the next frontier of programs to finally end hunger in America.

Our nation must keep making strides to end food insecurity in America. I appreciate your work to bring the topic of nutrition front and center in the United State Congress. Thanks for all you continue to do.

God Bless America,

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