# **HOMELAND SECURITY**

**Chairwoman Lucille Roybal-Allard**Fiscal Year 2023 Appropriations Bill At-A-Glance



Provides **\$85.67 billion** to secure our borders, bolster maritime security, secure critical infrastructure, respect the dignity of immigrants, and support disaster relief.

### **Protects Border Security**

Makes smart investments in border security, including technology to improve Border Patrol
effectiveness and make vehicle inspections at ports of entry more thorough, and through the
hiring of more customs officers and strengthening body-worn camera programs at CBP and ICE

## **Promotes Maritime Security**

- Invests strongly in maritime security with \$13.36 billion for the Coast Guard, including for operational readiness, retention and recruitment, and environmental compliance
- Allocates \$2.3 billion for Coast Guard vessels, aircraft, and shore infrastructure procurement, construction, and improvement efforts

#### Secures our Critical Infrastructure and Communities

- Prevents cyber-attacks, roots out cyber intrusions, and protects critical infrastructure with \$2.93 billion for the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency
- Provides \$1.7 billion for anti-terrorism grants, including \$615 million for the Urban Area Security Initiative, \$520 million for the State Homeland Security Grant Program, and \$360 million for the Nonprofit Security Grant Program
- Supports a new pay system for TSA to ensure personnel are paid salaries equivalent to other federal workers doing comparable work with \$616 million

# **Respects the Dignity of Immigrants**

- Provides \$683.3 million for U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, including \$535 million to reduce immigration, refugee, and asylum application backlogs and help Lawful Permanent Residents become citizens and \$30 million for the Citizenship and Integration Grant Program
- Expands investments in Alternatives to Detention for migrants with \$569 million
- Exempts Special Immigrant Juvenile Status visas from employment-based visa caps, recaptures unused family-based and employment-based visas, and provides authority to reissue visas to individuals who were prevented from entering the U.S. due to executive branch policy directives

# Supports Disaster Response and First Responders

- Prepares for major disaster response and recovery with \$19.95 billion for FEMA to carry out these efforts, and increases funding for flood mapping and for state and local emergency management coordination to help mitigate the impacts of future disasters
- Increases funding for firefighter equipment and personnel grants
- Provides \$40 million for the Next Generation Warning System