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Rep. Tauscher shared with Col. Arquette that she has requested that the bases top priorities, a modern Air Force Reserve C-17/C-5 Squadron Operations facility and a Fire Crash Rescue Station, be fully funded in this round of Appropriations.

The two discussed the current state of the base, the important work that the uniformed personnel at Travis are engaged in around the world, the toll of PTSD and what the base is doing to care for affected servicemen. They also spoke about the significant contributions that the community around Travis and the city of Fairfield make to the base.

"We are both committed to seeing Travis grow, build, and succeed. When we are on the same page, working toward the same goal, then the men, women and families of Travis win. Not to mention that we continue in the tradition of providing top-notch national security for the American people and our allies," said Rep. Tauscher

Travis Air Force Base
is located within

Fairfield, California. Known as the
"Gateway to the Pacific", Travis Air Force Base handles more cargo and passenger

traffic through its airport than any other military air terminal in the United States. The Base has a long and proud history of supporting humanitarian airlift operations at home and around the world. Today, the Base includes approximately 7,260 active military personnel, 3,770 civilians and 4,250 reservists