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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the LA73-LA429 Intersection Improvement Project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Ascension Parish Government, located at 615 E Worthey St, Gonzales, LA 70737. The funding would be used to mitigate traffic congestion at an existing signalized intersection heavily used by residential, commercial, and industrial traffic. This project will upgrade the intersection into a roundabout and also convert sidewalks into shared-use paths, improving alternative transportation infrastructure. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project is authorized under Section 133(b) of title 23, United States Code and it will improve traffic flow and safety at the existing intersection for an area with growing population and industry.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133 (Surface Transportation Block Grant Program).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Troy A. Carter, Sr.
Member of Congress