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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 Safely Connecting Communities in South Hall project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Hall County, Georgia, located at 2875 Browns Bridge Road, Gainesville, Georgia, 30504.

The funding would be used for the right-of-way portion of a road widening and transportation improvement project. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will substantially increase accessibility for Georgia's pedestrians, cycling, micro-mobility, and disabled user groups in the community as well as improving capacity and safety for passenger vehicles and trucks. It will facilitate increased use of the County's existing mobility-on-demand program and accommodate future mass transit.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in 42 USC 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,



Rich McCormick, MD, MBA
Member of Congress