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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Committee on Appropriations H-307, The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Antioch and Oakley Smart Signals Project in Fiscal Year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Contra Costa Transportation Authority, located at 2999 Oak Road, Suite 100, Walnut Creek, California 94597.

The funding would be used for installing equipment, including controllers, cabinets, switches, and modems, and construction in order to upgrade 15 intersections and facilitate the development of a network of smart traffic signals between Antioch, CA and Oakley, CA. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would improve commute times, reduce delays, and ease congestion along routes of regional significance.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for the purposes authorized by 23 USC 133(b).

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

Sincerely,

Mark DeSaulnier Member of Congress