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The Hon. Tom Cole  
Chairman  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Hon. Rosa L. DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

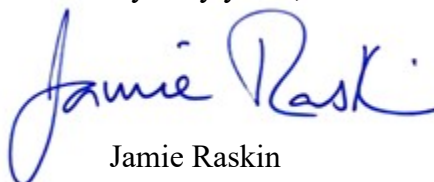
I am requesting funding for Georgia Avenue Rapid Bus Lanes in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Montgomery County Department of Transportation, located at 101 Monroe Street, Rockville, MD 20850.

The funding would be used for improving painted lanes, signage and design modifications for dedicated bus lanes along Georgia Avenue (MD 97) between downtown Silver Spring and Glenmont Metro. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because these improvements will improve operations, compliance, and safety and serve as the foundation for continued enhancements to the corridor and its economic development.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by chapter 53 of title 49 of the United States Code.

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

Very truly yours,



Jamie Raskin  
Member of Congress