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

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Real Time Crime Center Enhancement Project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Montgomery County Police Department, located at 100 Edison Park Drive, Gaithersburg, MD 20878. The funding would be used to procure technology that would provide officers with intelligence such as real-time suspect movement, criminal information on detained suspects, and premises information on crime locations. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the information gathered by the acquired technology systems will help officers make better and more efficient decisions in pursuit of enforcing laws and addressing violent crime.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

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