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The Honorable Peter A. DeFazio  
Chairman  
House Committee on Transportation  
and Infrastructure  
2165 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Sam Graves  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Transportation  
and Infrastructure  
2164 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for Tualatin Valley Highway Safety Improvements in the surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

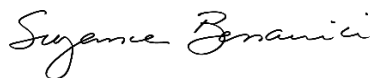
The project sponsor for this project is Oregon Department of Transportation. The project is located on Tualatin Valley Highway (OR 8) in the cities of Cornelius, Hillsboro, and in unincorporated Washington County, Oregon. The project location includes ZIP Codes: 97113, 97123, 97006, and 97007.

The funding is designated for safety improvements on a high crash corridor with improvements targeted to priority safety locations. Installation of illumination for the most critical segments of the unlit highway will address the prevalence of night-time pedestrian crashes.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have the following benefits: improved access to transit on one of Tri-County Metropolitan Transportation District of Oregon's highest ridership routes; support communities in a major travel corridor where 45 percent of the population has household incomes 200 percent below the Federal Poverty Level; and support access to jobs and housing in the growing area.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Suzanne Bonamici  
Member of Congress