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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 OR 18: Newberg-Dundee Bypass Phase 2 (OR 219 Section) in the surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor for this project is the Oregon Department of Transportation and the project is located in Newberg, Yamhill County, Oregon, 97132.

The funding is designated for realignment of the OR 18 intersection and construction of a grade separated interchange at OR 219.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to benefit the community by reducing traffic volumes, congestion, and trucks on OR 99W, and improving the safety and livability of the downtown areas of Newberg and Dundee.

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

Sincerely,

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Member of Congress