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March 13, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
2207 Rayburn House Office Building,
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
2413 Rayburn House Office Building,
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for East Forest Grove Multimodal Safety Improvements in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Forest Grove, located at 1924 Council Street, Forest Grove, Oregon 97116. The funding would be used for safety improvements along Tualatin Valley Highway, including the construction of safer pedestrian crossings, new sidewalks where gaps currently exist, and enhanced bikeways. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this stretch of Tualatin Valley Highway has experienced a high number of crashes, and pedestrians often must cross multiple lanes of traffic to reach bus stops, schools, and nearby businesses.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Highway Infrastructure Projects: 23 USC 133.

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

Sincerely,



Suzanne Bonamici
Member of Congress