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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations H-305, the Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa 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 Strengthening Coastal Resilience: Smart Infrastructure & Emergency Preparedness for San Mateo Coastal Communities in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County, located at 555 County Center, 5th floor, Redwood City, California 94063. The funding would be used to equip signalized intersections with generator back up and connection capabilities, develop a Coastal Incident Response Plan to guide transportation management during emergency events, and implement Intelligent Transportation Systems in high need areas. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve mobility and coordination during unplanned events and emergencies.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in 23 USC 133.

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

Sincerely,

Sam T. Liccardo Member of Congress