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

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for City of Whitehall Sidewalk Connectivity Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Whitehall, located at 360 S. Yearling Road, Whitehall, OH 43213. The funding would be used to construct approximately 10 miles of new sidewalk and shared-use paths in locations where no pedestrian infrastructure currently exists. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it directly eliminates dangerous gaps in pedestrian infrastructure that put families and schoolchildren at risk of traffic-related injury every day, and it serves a community with a poverty rate of approximately 17%, providing low-cost, healthy transportation options for economically vulnerable residents who depend on walking and active transit.

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

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joyce Beatty".

Joyce Beatty
Member of Congress