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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 the 91st Street Infrastructure Improvement project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the DuPage County Division of Transportation, 421 N County Farm Road, Wheaton, IL 60187.

The funding will be used for the construction of a sidewalk and pedestrian lighting system to a local school and public transportation to assist families with limited income. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will remove existing transportation barriers and create safe pedestrian walkways to break down social and economic isolation of over 3,500 residents in this community.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,

Bill Joster

Bill Foster Member of Congress