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The Honorable Kay Granger, Chairwoman The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro, Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives The Honorable Tom Cole, Chairman
The Honorable Mike Quigley, Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and
Urban Development, and Related Agencies
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RE: State Route 37 / Fairground Drive Interchange Improvement Project

Dear Chairs Granger and Cole and Ranking Members DeLauro and Quigley:

I respectfully request \$5,000,000 million in Community Project Funding for the State Route 37 / Fairground Drive Interchange Improvement Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Solano Transportation Authority located at 423 Main Street, Suisun City, California 94585.

This Community Project Funding would be used to improve safety and ease congestion by constructing an innovative diverging diamond design at the interchange of State Route 37 and Fairgrounds Drive, which is the major roadway connection between Solano and Napa Counties.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide multi-modal access for pedestrians and bicyclists to the largest youth employer in Solano County and connect the 112-acre redevelopment of the Solano Fairgrounds for mixed-use, transit-oriented development including new affordable housing. The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 133 of title 23, United States Code.

Pursuant to Clause, 17 of Rule XXIII of the U.S. House of Representatives, I certify that I have no financial interest in this project and neither does my immediate family. Thank you for your leadership and consideration.

Sincerely, Manual Control of the Con

JOHN GARAMENDI Member of Congress