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April 28, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
U.S. House of Representatives
House Appropriations Committee
H-307 – The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
U.S. House of Representatives
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Saltillo Public Safety Project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Saltillo, located at 395 E Mobile St, Saltillo, MS 38866.

This project is a responsible use of taxpayer funds because it strengthens public safety, improves officer response times, and reduces long-term maintenance costs. Replacing aging vehicles and outdated equipment ensures that officers can perform their duties safely and effectively, which directly benefits the community. Investing now prevents costly repairs later and increases operational efficiency.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 1701(b)(8) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(8)).

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, appearing to read "Trent Kelly".

Trent Kelly
Member of Congress