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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Vancouver Safe Park Purchase and Site Improvements Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Vancouver, located at 415 West 6th Street, Vancouver, WA 98660. The funding would be used for site purchase and improvements for the Vancouver Safe Park facility, including water and sewer connections for hygiene facilities, and providing accessible facilities for laundry and other essential services.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this will provide long-term benefits and ongoing efficiencies by providing property site control, program stability, and improving safety, services, and savings for the City and its residents. This would equip Vancouver Safe Park to better meet the needs of individuals and families living in vehicles and deter unsafe vehicle habitation in less desirable locations.

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 neither I nor my immediate family have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'MGP', written over a light blue circular stamp.

Marie Gluesenkamp Perez  
Member of Congress