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Chairwoman Kay Granger
Committee on Appropriations
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Minnieville Road/Prince William Parkway Interchange project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Prince William County, located at 5 County Complex, Suite 290, Woodbridge, Virginia 22192. The funding would be used to construct a Single Point Urban Interchange (SPUI) at the intersection of Minnieville Road and Prince William Parkway to relieve congestion, improve safety, enhance access and connectivity to I-95, Potomac Mills and Dale City, and support economic development plans for the area. The project funding will also provide for the construction of sidewalk and trail segments to improve safety and access for pedestrians and bicyclists. This project will result in crash reduction for the area while improving access and connectivity and supporting economic development in the region.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it includes several key crash modification factors, including grade separation of roadways, that will reduce crashes and prevent traffic fatalities and serious injuries. In addition to reducing congestion and travel times for motorists, key local and commuter bus routes utilizing the intersection will realize improved travel times and reliability in operations. The project also includes construction of sidewalk and trail segments to improve safety and access for pedestrians and bicyclists. This project is key to improving transportation options and access to employment, education, and critical emergency services.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133(b).

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

Sincerely,



Abigail Spanberger
Member of Congress