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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Committee on Appropriations Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for Mobile Command Center Upgrades in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Stamford, located at 888 Washington Boulevard, Stamford, Connecticut, 06901.

The funding would be used for upgrading the City of Stamford's existing 20-year-old mobile command center with new technologies. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve the Stamford Police Department's response to public safety threats at large-scale events and sensitive locations. The new technologies will decrease response time and increase flexibility for the Stamford Police Department, making the community a safer place for residents and visitors.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

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Member of Congress