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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,

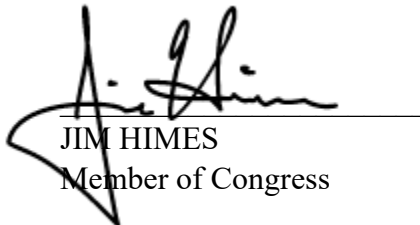
I am requesting funding for Shelton Public Safety Communications Upgrades in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Shelton, located at 54 Hill Street, Shelton, Connecticut 06484.

The funding would be used for the upgrade and modernization of the Shelton Police Department's obsolete and failing radio system. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will expand SPD's radio coverage to ensure seamless interoperability with neighboring towns, fire services, EMS, and state agencies during mutual-aid and regional emergencies.

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 black ink, appearing to read "Jim Himes", written over a horizontal line.

JIM HIMES
Member of Congress