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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the "Jeffersontown Garage" Purchase and Rehabilitation project in Fiscal Year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Jeffersontown, Kentucky located at 10416 Watterson Trl., Jeffersontown, KY 40299.

The funding would be used for the purchase and rehabilitation of a deteriorating structure in the Gaslight Square district of Jeffersontown. This is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because this project will allow Jeffersontown to advance their "Creating Vibrant Communities" economic development plan for growth and activity in the Gaslight Square district by converting a vacant, crumbling building into a mixed-use space that accommodates new businesses.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), and 5305(a)(4) of the Economic Development Initiative.

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

Sincerely,

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The Honorable Morgan McGarvey Member of Congress