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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 Louisville Muhammad Ali International Airport Central Generator Plant and Microgrid Project in Fiscal Year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Muhammad Ali International Airport located at 600 Terminal Dr., Louisville, KY 40209.

The airport terminal building at Louisville Muhammad Ali International Airport currently has insufficient generator capacity to operate safely in the event of a complete utility outage. The funding would be used for providing emergency generators and distribution, necessary switchgear and transformer improvements, and photovoltaic (solar) with battery storage. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because these upgrades are necessary to maintain safety in the event of an electrical outage at the airport.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 49 U.S.C. 47100 et seq.

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

Sincerely,



The Honorable Morgan McGarvey
Member of Congress