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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Democrats
1036 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Hazleton Police Department Equipment and Technology Upgrades project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Hazleton Police Department, located at 780 N. Church St., Hazleton, PA, 18201. The funding would be used for upgrading the Department's technology, vehicles, and other equipment. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would help improve the Hazleton Police Department's ability to serve its diverse and growing community of approximately 30,000 people by improving response times, enhancing officer safety, and promoting accountability.

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,



Matt Cartwright
Member of Congress