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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
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H-307 The Capitol
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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 Route 309/Mundy Street Crossroads Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Redevelopment Authority of Luzerne County, located at 16 Luzerne Avenue, Suite #210, West Pittston, Pennsylvania 18643. The funding would be used to improve traffic signals at six crossroads within the public rights-of-way on PA Route 309 – a two-lane road without traffic signals – in the Township of Plains, Luzerne County. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will increase traffic efficiency and public safety along PA Route 309, as the outdated, existing infrastructure is not sufficient to manage current traffic volume in the area.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133(b).

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