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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman House Appropriations Committee Republicans H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee Democrats 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the State Route 209 Hamilton West Resurfacing Project in fiscal year 24. The entity to receive the funding is the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT), located at 1002 Hamilton Street, Allentown, PA 18101. The funding would be used to resurface Hamilton West (State Route 209), approximately 500 feet east of Lesh Road to PA 33, including latex overlay on structure over SR 2012 (US Business 209), as well as for the deck replacement of structure over Lake Creek in Hamilton Township. The funding is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project will address the poor roadway condition of SR 209 and two structures that carry SR 209, providing a smoother riding surface for the traveling public and decreasing the cost of ongoing roadway maintenance.

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

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

Sincerely,

Mithe A Carport

Matt Cartwright Member of Congress