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## Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations H-307, U.S. Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Chowchilla's State Route 99/233 Chowchilla Multimodal Interchange Improvement Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive the funding is the City of Chowchilla, located at 130 S. Second Street, Chowchilla, CA 93610. The funding would be used to construct two roundabouts, a new concrete bridge, and widen the Ash Slough Bridge on State Route 99. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve local circulation, route continuity, and interregional mobility, as well as relieve congestion and improve access to local businesses and services in the region.

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

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

Sincerely,

John S. Duarte Member of Congress