

# Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

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The Honorable Kay Granger  
Chairwoman  
House Appropriations Committee  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Tranquillity Complete Streets project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Fresno County located at 2220 Tulare Street, Fresno, California 93721.

The County would use this funding to upgrade substandard infrastructure within underserved, disadvantaged communities and provide residents with opportunities for economic growth, equitable job access, and improved safety. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it addresses economic and community development activities consistent with the Community Development Block Grant program and Committee requirements. The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,



John Duarte  
Member of Congress