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March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$1,500,000 for the Pittsboro Police Department Public Safety & Event Security Infrastructure project in Fiscal Year 2027 (FY27). The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Pittsboro, located at 287 East Street, Suite 221A, Pittsboro, NC 27312. The funding will be used to purchase public safety infrastructure to protect the community during special events and road closures.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the new infrastructure will allow officers to better manage community events and emergency response operations. As Pittsboro experiences rapid population growth, investment in scalable public safety infrastructure is necessary to maintain public safety and security.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 1701(b)(9) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(9)).

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

Sincerely,



Valerie P. Foushee
MEMBER OF CONGRESS