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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations H-305, The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Texas A&M University Police Department and Local Law Enforcement Agency Technology and Equipment Upgrades in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Texas A&M University System, located at 400 Bizzell Street, College Station, Texas, 77840.

The funding would be used for necessary upgrades to equipment and technology that would otherwise be cost prohibitive due to budget constraints, including but not limited to upgraded vehicles and mobile command centers. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds in that it would provide law enforcement agencies the requisite tools for officers to perform their duties effectively and increase the safety of residents, guests, and officers in the applicable communities.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposed authorized by section 1701(b)(8) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(8)).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, nor does any immediate family member.

Sincerely,

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Michael T. McCaul Member of Congress