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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman, House Committee
on Appropriations
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member, House Committee
on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for a Regional Mobile Command and Interoperability Vehicle in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Surprise Police Department located at 16000 N Civic Center Drive, Surprise, AZ 85374.

The requested funding amount of $3,250,000 would be used to acquire a Regional Mobile Command and Interoperability Vehicle. The acquisition would support the City of Surprise Police and Fire Departments coordination and response to violent crime, critical incidents, and large-scale emergencies. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it strengthens regional public safety infrastructure, improving officer safety, enhancing response efficiency, and reducing duplication of resources across jurisdictions through a shared, deployable asset.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding is for purposed described in section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

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

Sincerely,

Abraham J. Hamadeh
Member of Congress