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House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-4206

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
2362-B RHOB
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa De Lauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
2362-B RHOB
Washington, DC 20515

In re: FY26 Community Project Funding- James Robertson Parkway in Davidson County, TN

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for James Robertson Parkway Modification in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, located at One Public Square, Suite 100, Nashville, TN 37201. The funding would be used for completing NEPA, Preliminary Engineering and Final Design for the James Robertson Parkway Modification Project to implement the foundational infrastructure necessary for the Imagine East Bank Vision Plan. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will modernize a critical access point across the Cumberland River, connecting North and East Nashville communities to downtown, and will act as a catalyst for the full build-out of the East Bank development.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by chapter 53 of title 49 of the United States Code.

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

Sincerely,



John Rose
Member of Congress