

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-4329

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Harrisburg Trail Improvements project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Harrisburg Redevelopment Authority (TIRZ 23), located at P.O. Box 22167, Houston, TX 77227. The funding would be used to enhance the trailheads at motorized vehicle intersections for safety precautions, so that cyclists, pedestrians, and vehicular traffic can interact safely with awareness and caution. The funding will also include an improvement of lighting along the trail corridor. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would help avoid traffic collisions along the trailheads near vehicular thoroughfares, thus minimizing the risk of pedestrian and cyclist fatalities. It would increase overall safety and comfort for cyclists, motorists, and pedestrians.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 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,



Member of Congress