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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
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H-305, The Capitol
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Chattahoochee County Sheriff's Office Radio and 911 Infrastructure Upgrade Program in the Fiscal Year 2027 Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Chattahoochee County Sheriff's Office, which is located at P.O. Box 124, Cusseta, Georgia 31805

The funding would be used by the Chattahoochee County Sheriff's Office to upgrade its radio and 911 communications infrastructure to ensure reliable, secure, and interoperable emergency response capabilities. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will ensure secure, dependable communication between deputies and dispatch; improve interoperability with partner agencies; and support the transition to Next Generation 911 capabilities. The investment strengthens emergency preparedness, enhances response coordination, and ensures reliable public safety services for the community for years to come.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in 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, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sanford".

Sanford D. Bishop, Jr.
Member of Congress