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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations,
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

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 Mayfield Bridge Replacement Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Mayfield, located in Mayfield, New York.

The funding would be used to replace a structurally deficient 96-foot bridge constructed in 1932 that currently carries approximately 2,400 vehicles per day but is restricted to eight tons due to deterioration. The replacement structure will restore access for school buses, fire apparatus, and municipal vehicles while improving pedestrian accommodations and long-term transportation reliability.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it restores a critical transportation corridor relied upon by residents, emergency services, and local government operations across New York's 21st Congressional District and reduces safety risks caused by detours and delayed response times.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 U.S.C. § 133(b).

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

Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,



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Member of Congress

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