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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting Community Project Funding for the Brockton Public Safety Building furniture, fixtures, and equipment (FFE) in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Brockton, located at 7 Commercial Street, Brockton, MA 02302. The funding would be used to acquire the necessary furniture, fixtures, and equipment for Brockton's new Public Safety Complex. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because as the 6th largest city in Massachusetts, safety enhancements in Brockton will have a ripple effect in improving safety in surrounding communities. Equipping the new Complex with new technology and related infrastructure will help respond to increased call volumes and allow for a more coordinated and effective response to public safety threats and other emergency situations. Between the four departments that will work directly in the Public Safety Complex and collaborate to achieve the above goals, nearly 500 jobs will be enhanced by providing the up-to-date technology necessary to succeed in their roles and best serve the community.

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,

Stephen F. Lynch Member of Congress