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Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515-3103

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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Appropriations Committee  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Santa Fe Southside Transit Center Relocation Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Santa Fe located at 2931 Rufina St. Santa Fe, NM 87507. The funding would be used to relocate the existing transit hub currently located at Santa Fe Place Mall to a new site located at 2521 Camino Entrada to continue serving the south side of Santa Fe. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve transit operations, passenger safety, accessibility, and multimodal connectivity while accommodating the growing demand for public transportation services in the transit-dependent area.

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 neither I nor my immediate family have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Teresa Leger Fernández  
Member of Congress