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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
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H-307 Capitol Meeting Room
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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 City of Ham Lake Trunk Highway 65 East Frontage Road Project in fiscal year 2025. The intended recipient is the City of Ham Lake located at 15544 Central Avenue Northeast, Ham Lake, MN 55304. The project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because this frontage road will reduce congestion with the rerouting of slower local traffic off the highway and close the three at-grade access point which has been the site of multiple accidents.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133(b). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Tom Emmer
Member of Congress