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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations House Appropriations Committee Washington, DC 20515

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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Bus Stop Security and Enhancement Project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the North County Transit District (NCTD), located at 205 South Tremont Street, Oceanside, CA 92054. The funding would be used for the construction of 20 bus shelters to improve accessibility and ensure riders with disabilities can easily utilize bus services. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because 14% of the over 1,700 existing bus stops include a bus shelter; and the service area spans for the over 1,020 square miles across suburban and rural environments for San Diego's North County Communities.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized by chapter 53 of title 49 of the United States Code.

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

Sincerely,

Member of Congress