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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-305 The Capitol
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the San Joaquin County Sheriff's Office Transport Vehicle Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the San Joaquin County Sheriff's Office, located at 7000 Michael Canlis Blvd., French Camp, CA, 95231. The funding would be used to purchase the necessary equipment for a transport vehicle project to ensure efficient judicial operations and effective allocation of officer resources. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Sheriff's Office current ADA accessible transport vehicle isn't large enough to transport multiple incarcerated persons in wheelchairs, requiring multiple inefficient trips to judicial or medical appointments. Therefore, this project will increase public and officer safety, streamline current inefficiencies, and ensure judicial requirements are met.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 1701(b)(9) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(9)).

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

Sincerely,



Josh Harder
Member of Congress