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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515
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March 6, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Equipment project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office, located at 2200 Reverend Abraham Woods Jr. Blvd., Birmingham, AL 35203. The funding would be used to expand public safety technology infrastructure through the purchase of unmanned aircraft systems and the deployment of additional public safety cameras. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because these investments will improve real-time monitoring, deputy safety, investigative capabilities, and emergency response coordination across Jefferson County while strengthening public safety coverage in rural and underserved communities.

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,

Terri A. Sewell
Member of Congress