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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-4611

April 27, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
Appropriations Committee
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Appropriations Committee
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

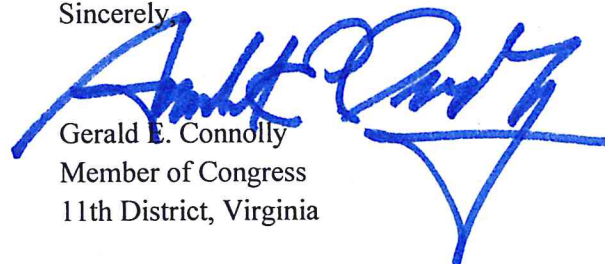
I write to respectfully request \$4,800,000 in fiscal year 2023 for the Community Project, North Woodbridge Pedestrian Bridge Over Route 1.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Prince William County Government, 1 County Complex Ct, Prince William, VA, 22192.

This project consists of designing and constructing a pedestrian bridge across a busy six-lane section of US Route 1 to connect the planned North Woodbridge Town Center to transit, bus and rail options at the Woodbridge VRE Station. North Woodbridge is a Metropolitan Planning Organization designated Regional Activity Center located along the Route 1 and I-95 corridors in a Transit Access Focus Area. This project is part of a larger effort to create safe walkable mixed-use communities and is a key connection between Equity Emphasis Areas, which are defined by high concentrations of low income and minority populations, and development on the east and west sides of Route 1. Additionally, the new pedestrian bridge will comply with the American with Disability Act standards for accessibility. This project will help pedestrians avoid dangerous intersections and save lives.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,


Gerald E. Connolly
Member of Congress
11th District, Virginia