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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC

March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, U.S. 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 \$250,000.00 of funding for the Police Downtown Camera System Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Village of Clarendon Hills, located at 1 N Prospect Avenue Clarendon Hills, IL 60514. The funding would be used to support the Clarendon Hills Police Department's surveillance capabilities, including upgrading outdated cameras and expanding coverage in areas where visibility is currently limited or obstructed. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will enhance public safety by providing reliable, high-quality 24-hour monitoring, particularly at critical locations, improve the effectiveness of investigations, and ensure law enforcement has the tools needed to accurately review and respond to incidents to better protect residents and visitors alike.

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,



Jesús G. "Chuy" García
Member of Congress
Illinois' 4th Congressional District