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Congress of the United States House of Representatives

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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairman Committee on Appropriations US House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations US House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting \$3,000,000 in Member-directed Federal funding to widen State Route 36 (SR-36, Fort Henry Drive) from 2 lanes to 5 lanes in FY 2023 Appropriations funding.

The project sponsor for this project is the Tennessee Department of Transportation and the project is located on (and is) SR-36 from the intersection of SR-36 and SR-75, Spurgeon, TN 37615 to the intersection of SR-36 and I-81, Kingsport, TN 37663.

The funding will widen Fort Henry Drive from 2 to 5 lanes, which benefits both safety and access to a regional area.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars because it will vastly improve safety and highway access for motorists.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Member of Congress

Diana Harrhbarges