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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
US House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$421,270 in Member-directed Commerce Justice and Science funding for Sevierville, Tennessee in fiscal year 2024.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Sevierville Police Department. Sevierville has confirmed that they already have the requisite matching funds on hand for grant funding.

The funding would be used for a Rapid DNA System.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it protects the health and general welfare of East Tennesseans.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Byrne Justice Assistance Grants (JAG) program, section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Diana Harshbarger".

Member of Congress