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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 BATTLEGROUND LEADERSHIP

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for Vision Zero School Zone Safety Improvements in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Las Vegas, located at 495 S. Main Street, Las Vegas, NV 89101. The funding would be used to enable the City of Las Vegas to significantly improve the safety infrastructure of 281 school zones as part of the City's Vision Zero Action Plan. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because nearly 25% of the City's school zones are located along High Injury Network (HIN) corridors, where traffic fatalities and serious injuries are heavily concentrated. To improve safety in these school zones, this project would enable the City to install new visual alert systems and ancillary signage and pavement markings in each of the 281 school zones. These systems serve as visual cues to regulate, warn, and guide all transportation system users when they are entering a school zone to help keep children safe.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133 (Surface Transportation Block Grant Program).

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

Sincerely,

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Susie Lee Member of Congress