Congress of the United States Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

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I am requesting funding for the Town Center Community Improvement District for the Big Shanty Road widening project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Town Center Community Improvement District located at 1701 Barrett Lakes Blvd #200, Kennesaw, GA 30144.

The funding would be used to complete the final 0.4-mile portion of the Big Shanty Connector between Chastain Meadows and Bells Ferry Road in order to reduce traffic congestion, enhance connectivity, and ensure safety. The project would include construction of a roundabout for safer traffic flow to adjacent neighborhoods, reduction of vehicles on arterial roads and in residential neighborhoods, access for freight and logistics facilities, and enhanced access to the I-75 Managed Lanes.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Barry Loudermilk Member of Congress