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Congress of the United States House of Representatives

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Broward MPO SR-817/UNIVERSITY DR. FROM N. OF JOHNSON STREET TO S. OF STIRLING project in Fiscal Year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Broward MPO, located at 100 W Cypress Creek Rd. Suite 650, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309. The funding would be used for the construction of multimodal improvements along this corridor. This corridor is a Florida Department of Transportation owned facility located in the Cities of Pembroke Pines, Hollywood and the Town of Davie. This project will provide 10' multi-modal facilities on both sides of the roadway that provides a physical separation from vehicular traffic. These multimodal facilities will include pavement markings and signage to clearly delineate a 4' bike lane adjacent to a 6' sidewalk. This project also includes pedestrian and roadway lighting upgrades throughout the entire corridor, pedestrian audible count-down signals as well as updated ADA accommodations to enhance visibility and safety.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide multimodal improvements to meet the needs of people who travel along this corridor regardless of the mode of their choice.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133(b).

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

Sincerely,

Debbie Wasserman Schultz Member of Congress