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March 27, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for Bustard Road Connectivity Improvements in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Towamencin Township, located at 1090 Troxel Road, Lansdale, PA 19446.

The funding would be used for connectivity improvements along Bustard Road, a state road. The project includes a combination of new bike lanes, side paths, crosswalks, curb cuts, and a rapid flashing beacon at Liberty Bell Drive. These features would be located mostly within the existing roadway right-of-way and on park lands, school lands, an office park, and on the frontage of a PECO property. The multi-modal improvements will connect two parks (Firehouse Park and Bustard Road Park) to an elementary school (Nash Elementary School) and to residential neighborhoods.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because This project will benefit Towamencin Township residents, those who work in Towamencin Township and visitors of neighboring communities. These multi-modal improvements will connect two parks (Firehouse Park and Bustard Road Park), to a school (Nash Elementary School), to residential neighborhoods and to the growing Town Center. The improvements were recommendations resulting from Towamencin's Sidewalk and Connectivity Study completed in 2023, which identified key connectivity priorities that would expand the Township's multimodal transportation network linking its robust system of parks, schools and residential areas.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Madeleine Dean". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a prominent initial "M".

Madeleine Dean
Member of Congress