



CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 31, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Town of Ayden Police Technology and Equipment Enhancements project in fiscal year 2024.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Ayden, located at:

4144 West Avenue P.O. Box 219
Ayden, North Carolina 28513

The Town of Ayden requests \$1,394,000 to improve modern law enforcement technology and equipment upgrades, along with updates to its police cruiser fleet to better serve and protect our citizens, especially those in underserved areas. Top priorities for funds are the technology and equipment upgrades, which would improve processing speeds for law enforcement investigating crimes, followed by funds for a new fleet of police cruisers to replace aging vehicles. This project is a good use of taxpayer funds because it would improve public safety in a high crime area and bring jobs and businesses back to the community.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Don Davis
Member of Congress

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