

## Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

May 10, 2024

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Emerald Drive Complete Streets Project, Vista, CA in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Vista, located at 200 Civic Center Drive, Vista, CA 92084. This project would improve safety and access by reducing vehicle speeds on a high-traffic regional connector road and install traffic calming measures, including roundabouts, additional bike facilities, and safe pedestrian crossings.

This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would slow motor vehicle speeds and improve safe pedestrian crossings at multiple points along Emerald Drive, a critical north-south residential corridor which provides access to nearby schools, parks, health care facilities, and retail in an underserved area.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely, Mille Levi

Mike Levin

Member of Congress