COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS **U.S. House of Representatives** Rep. Sharice L. Davids Kansas Third District

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairwoman 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 the 191st Street and US 169 Intersection Improvements Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Spring Hill, located at 401 N. Madison, Spring Hill, Kansas, 66083. The funding would be used to construct a safety upgrade and modernization for the intersection of US Highway 169 and 191st St to provide safety improvements for motor vehicles, pedestrians, and cyclists alike, including a west bound to north bound acceleration lane onto US Highway 169, extensions of the existing north bound and south bound left turn lane storage on US 169, new eastbound and westbound left turn lanes on 191st street, and appropriate taper length into turn lanes along 191st Street.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will result in safer infrastructure that will require minimal maintenance long-term. This project would directly serve the community of Spring Hill, including three schools, and other vehicle traffic traveling along US Highway 169 into Miami County and further south.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,

Sharice L. Davids Member of Congress

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