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U.S. House of Representatives
Rep. Sharice L. Davids
Kansas Third District

May 23, 2025

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

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for Metcalf Ave. and I-435 Signal Replacement and Sidewalk Improvement in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Overland Park, located at 8500 Santa Fe Drive, Overland Park, KS, 66212.

The funding would be used for traffic signal replacement at Metcalf Ave. and I-435 westbound, Metcalf Ave. and I-435 eastbound, and Metcalf Ave. and 110th Street. To complement these signal replacements, pedestrian sidewalks will also be replaced. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because these new traffic signals and sidewalks will improve traffic flow and safety at the confluence of a busy federal highway and major boulevard. 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,



Sharice L. Davids
Member of Congress