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## Congress of the United States House of Representatives

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May 23, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Appropriations Committee H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC, 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro **Ranking Member** House Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, DC, 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Woodhaven Boulevard SBS Project to Improve Bus and Pedestrian Mobility in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the New York City Department of Transportation located at 55 Water Street, New York, New York 1004.

The funding would be used for implementing capital improvements along Woodhaven Boulevard between 107th Ave and Union Turnpike to complement the existing operational SBS project. These capital improvements will include median widening, building out neckdowns, normalizing intersections and other features to increase safety and support the Woodhaven Select Bus Service.

This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will implement needed capital improvements along the corridor to reinforce and expand upon the operational improvements.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

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Sincerely,