

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-1406**

May 2, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-310, 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 an Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department Hostile Vehicle Mitigation Barriers in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department (IMPD) located at 50 N. Alabama St. Indianapolis, IN 46204. The funding would be used as funding to purchase mitigation barriers.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because Indianapolis has 222 roadways identified as needing hostile vehicle mitigation for large city events and IMPD currently has only 12 lanes worth of barriers.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 1701(b)(8) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(8)).

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

Sincerely,



Jefferson Shreve  
Member of Congress