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The Honorable Tom Cole Chair Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Quitchupah Creek Road Rehabilitation Project, Richfield, Utah, 2nd District in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Sevier County, located at 250 North Main Street, Richfield, UT 84701. The funding would be used in the northeastern part of the county beginning at the intersection of Convulsion Canyon Road and will reconstruct existing areas of failure as well as do a mill and fill on the road to restore the structural integrity. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will ensure safe travel and efficient transportation of goods which boost the local economy. This road is critical to support the Sufco Mine, local trucking companies, businesses, local towns and cities. Notably, keeping this road functioning is integral for the hauling of coal from the Sufco Mine to various power plants and help maintain the ability to keep energy supply costs as low as possible and allow for continued economic growth.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in subsection 18 of 23 USC 133(b).

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

Sincerely,

Celeste Maloy

Member of Congress