## Congress of the United States

## House of Representatives

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman 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 Southwest Utah Cooperative Law Enforcement Project, Panguitch, Utah, 2nd District in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Garfield County Sheriff's Office, located at 375 N 700 W Panguitch, UT 84759. The funding would be used for twelve patrol vehicles, three body scanners, and one patrol boat. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this equipment's sole purpose is to protect the public from dangerous offenders and situations in Beaver, Iron, Garfield, and Kane Counties. The police boat will be used to help with patrols on Lake Powell with its 2000 miles of shoreline and millions of visitors each year.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in Section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

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

Sincerely,

Celeste Maloy
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Member of Congress