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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations Room H-307 U.S. Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting \$880,000 in funding for the Pedestrian and Safe Routes to School Improvements Project in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Sunnyvale at 456 W. Olive Ave, Sunnyvale, CA 94086. The project will make improvements to the intersections of Borregas Avenue and Duane Avenue and Borregas Avenue and Hemlock Avenue in Sunnyvale, CA 94085. It will also make improvements to the intersection of Gail Avenue and Gladiola Drive in Sunnyvale, CA 94086.

The funding would be used to install enhanced crossing improvements at all three intersections, including a rectangular rapid-flashing beacon, high visibility crosswalks, curb extensions, and advanced yield markings. These improvements would enhance the crossing experience and safety for students walking to and from the two Sunnyvale neighborhood schools.

The proposed improvements are located in the two Communities of Concern in the City of Sunnyvale as identified by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC), the metropolitan planning organization for the nine-country San Francisco Bay Area that identifies disadvantaged neighborhood by census tract.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Ro Khanna Member of Congress