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The Honorable Pete A. DeFazio
Chairman
House Committee on Transportation
and Infrastructure
2165 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Sam Graves
Ranking Member
House Committee on Transportation
and Infrastructure
2164 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for the Agnew Siding Project in surface transportation reauthorization legislation. The project sponsor is the Capitol Corridor Joint Powers Authority and the project is located near the Great American rail station in Santa Clara, CA 95054. The funding is for \$6,610,000 and will be used for a 2,900-foot track siding with two new #15 power turnouts, signaling, and other necessary site work.

This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and will reduce train delays caused by conflicting movements and traffic associated with the nearby Great American passenger rail station and the adjacent intersection of two mainlines at CP Coast. These delays are the result of conflicting train movements due to single-track operations, station activities, and converging train operations through CP Coast.

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

Sincerely,



Ro Khanna
Member of Congress