Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20510

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The Honorable Kay Granger 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 Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Policing Equipment and Technology Upgrades for the Village of Alsip in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Alsip Police Department, located at 4500 W 123rd St. Alsip IL 60803.

The funding would be used to purchase in dash video cameras, body worn cameras, software, and data storage for the implementation of a body worn camera program for the Alsip Police Department. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the city will be able to improve the safety of its residents and increase its ability to respond to in-progress calls.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized 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,

Sean Casten

Member of Congress