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Congress of the United States  
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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the La Vista Policing Equipment and Technology Upgrades Project Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of La Vista, located at 8116 Park View Blvd, La Vista, NE 68128. The funding will strengthen law enforcement and public safety by replacing aging police cruisers, installing a vehicle barrier system for event protection and traffic control, upgrading outdated radios for reliable communication, and purchasing a SWAT transit van with necessary equipment to improve emergency response and ensure specialized officers can arrive quickly when needed. The project is a responsible use of taxpayer funds because it strengthens La Vista's public safety infrastructure. By upgrading critical technology, the police department can operate more efficiently, enhance officer and community safety, and better support the city's broader homeland security responsibilities.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in the Byrne Justice Assistance Grants (JAG) program, section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

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

Sincerely,



Michael J. Flood  
Member of Congress