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The Honorable Tom Cole Chair House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Autonomous Vehicle Research and Development Infrastructure Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the California State University, Sacramento located at 6000 J Street, Sacramento, CA, 95819. The funding would be used for the acquisition of real property to purches a building to be used as a temporary housing. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because creating a test track for autonomous vehicles accelerates the development of safe and efficient AV technology. It offers benefits in economic growth, innovation, and societal impact.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 USC 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,

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Doris Matsui Member of Congress