

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for Computer Aided Dispatch Replacement in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Baltimore, located at Baltimore City Police Headquarters 601 East Fayette Street Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Funds will go towards the replacement of the City's aging Computer-Aided Dispatch System that is nearly twenty years old.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this system is used by fire, police, and other city agencies to allow calls for service to prioritize and record as an emergency or non-emergency incident.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 1701(b)(8) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(8)).

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

Sincerely,



Johnny Olszewski

Member of Congress