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March 27, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, The Capitol
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Sixth Street Viaduct - Lighting Upgrade and Fortification project in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Los Angeles located at 200 N Main St Suite 1500, Los Angeles, CA 90012.

The proposed funding would be used to support the City of Los Angeles repairing, replacing, and fortifying lighting infrastructure on the Sixth Street Viaduct, otherwise known as the Sixth Street Bridge. These improvements will include restoration of roadway and barrier lighting, ramp and stairway railing lighting, and signature arch lighting. It will also include installation of hardened infrastructure tamper-resistant conduit and enclosures, secured access panels and pull boxes and anti-theft design enhancements to deter copper wire removal.

This project is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it will mitigate an urgent public safety issue for drivers and pedestrians, improve the public space for low- and moderate-income citizens, and prepare the important traffic artery ahead of the 2028 Olympic Games.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jimmy Gomez".

Jimmy Gomez
Member of Congress