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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding in the amount of \$284,800.00 for the Police Vehicles for the City of Bristol, Virginia project in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive this funding is City of Bristol, Virginia, with city government offices located at 300 Lee Street, Bristol, VA 24201.

This funding is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars because it will assist the City in purchasing eight (8) new police vehicles for use by the Bristol City Police so that the current aging fleet of police vehicles can be retired, helping alleviate and reduce maintenance costs.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized 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 I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

H. MORGAN GRIFFITH

Member of Congress