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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for **Covington Violent Crime Prevention and Public Safety Enhancement Project** in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the **Covington Police Department**, located at **211 S. Main Street, Covington, TN 38019**. The funding would be used to **obtain additional law enforcement equipment to improve officer communication and strengthen public safety**.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds **because it will strengthen the ability of the Covington Police Department to prevent and respond to violent crime while supporting proactive community policing and crime prevention efforts**.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in 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,



Steve Cohen
Member of Congress