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Chairwoman Tom Cole House Appropriations Committee H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 Ranking Member Laura DeLauro House Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the **Pace Bus Touhy Avenue Transit Signal Priority Project** in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Pace Bus, 550 W. Algonquin Road, Arlington Heights, IL 60005. The funding for this project would facilitate implementation of Transit Signal Priority along Pace Bus's Touhy Avenue line. This line run along Touhy Avenue from Rogers Park all the way west to Park Ridge, Illinois. This system creates shorter transit times and allows for more reliable public transit opportunities for residents who rely on the service.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by chapter 53 of title 49 of the United States Code.

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

Sincerely,

Jan Schakowsky

Member of Congress

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