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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 **Niles Howard Street Bridge Replacement Project** in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Niles, 1000 Civic Center Drive, Niles, IL 60714. The funding for this project would facilitate the replacement of a bridge that is dire structural condition. Replacement will improve road safety and reliability, allow for new pedestrian and bike options, and also help alleviate local flooding issues to some degree.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133(b)(1).

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