April 29, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding $1.2 million for Union City’s Digital Trunked Radio System Replacement. The intended recipient is Union City’s Police Department located at 3715 Palisade Avenue, Union City, NJ 07087.

The funding would be used to update a radio system that is currently operating unsupported because it can only work on outdated operating systems. Updating this system will greatly reduce the risk of outages, which are becoming more common on the current system, and improve the safety of the residents of Union City. The operational capacity of Police Department and other city-wide departments will be significantly improved, as they work to protect and serve those 68,000 residents residing in less than 1.5 square miles. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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Member of Congress