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## Congress of the United States

## House of Representatives

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairwoman Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Suffolk County Police Department Emergency Service Equipment project in fiscal year 2026.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Suffolk County Police Department located at 30 Yaphank Avenue, Yaphank, NY 11980. The funding would be used to provide additional resources for the Suffolk County Police Department Emergency Service and Canine Sections, Precinct Patrol, Community Relations Bureau, and Digital Forensic Unit. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will have a significant positive impact on the County of Suffolk and its residents.

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

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Andrew R. Garbarino Member of Congress