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The Honorable Peter DeFazio
Chairman
House Committee on Transportation and
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2165 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Sam Graves
Ranking Member
House Committee on Transportation and
Infrastructure
2164 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves,

I am writing to request funding for the Rockcastle County, Kentucky "Improve KY 461 from US 150 to US 25" project in surface transportation reauthorization legislation. The sponsor for this project is Ronald B. Rigney, PE & PLS with the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet and the project is located in Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456.

The funding is designated for the reconstruction of approximately 2.5 miles of KY 461 from US 150 to US 25, to address safety improvements and to provide congestion mitigation. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have several important benefits. These benefits include greatly improving safety for travelers by alleviating traffic congestion during peak travel times to the Lake Cumberland region, and allowing for safer commercial traffic to the Rockcastle industrial area and east-west commercial travel through south central Kentucky.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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Member of Congress