

March 31, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman House Appropriations Committee H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Somerset Northern Bypass, a highway infrastructure project, in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Pulaski County Fiscal Court, located at 100 North Main Street Suite 202 Somerset, KY 42501.

The funding would be used for construction of the Somerset Northern Bypass from US27/Louie Nunn Cumberland Parkway Interchange to KY 461/KY 80 Interchange in Pulaski County, KY. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the highway will provide a vital artery for state and regional economic growth from western Kentucky to eastern Kentucky.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133.

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

Sincerely,

Hal Rosen

HAL ROGERS Member of Congress