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March 31, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
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H-305, the Capitol
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

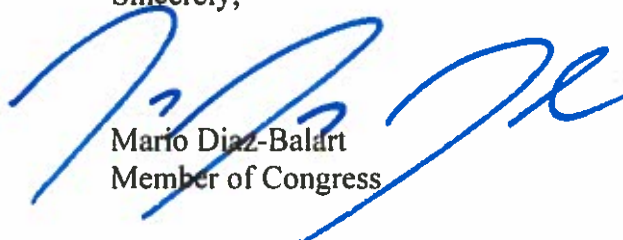
I am requesting funding for Doral Police Department Communication and Police Radio Modernization Technology Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Doral Police Department, located at 6100 NW 99th Avenue, Doral, FL 33178.

The funding would be used for an upgrade and modernization to their current police radios and allow DPD officers access to the next generation in technology. Upgrading to this latest technology focuses on this critical issue by providing coverage anywhere for peace of mind and upmost officer safety. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the use of these funds would serve as a primarily public purpose to engage in public safety and ensure law enforcement is equipped with the equipment necessary to keep our community safe.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in section 1701(b)(8) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(8)).

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

Sincerely,



Mario Diaz-Balart
Member of Congress