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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-0105**

March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-305, the Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth HOB  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Scottsboro PD Special Response Team Vehicle Upgrade project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Scottsboro, located at 316 S Broad Street, Scottsboro, Alabama, 35768. The funding will be used by the Scottsboro Police Department to acquire an armored rescue vehicle, a critical public safety asset for all of Jackson County. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it supports and enhances regional public safety and strengthens rural emergency preparedness.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 1701(b)(9) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968. (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(9)).

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

Sincerely,



Dale W. Strong  
Member of Congress