

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-1805**

March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Law Enforcement Equipment Modernization Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is North Delta Law Enforcement Planning District, located at 6556 Main Street, Winnsboro, LA 71295.

The funds would be utilized to purchase a total of 33 fully outfitted police cruisers and law enforcement equipment including upgraded radios and radar for law enforcement agencies across 11 parishes. This funding would benefit Sheriffs' Offices in Caldwell Parish, East Carroll Parish, Franklin Parish, Jackson Parish, Madison Parish, Morehouse Parish, Ouachita Parish, Richland Parish, Tensas Parish, Union Parish, and West Carroll Parish.

This project is a good use of taxpayer funds because it ensures law enforcement agencies have safe, reliable, and properly maintained vehicles and equipment to respond effectively to calls for service across large, rural areas.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized under Section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

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

I request you give this project every consideration, consistent with all rules and regulations. Thank you for your attention to this request. Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,



Julia Letlow, Ph.D.  
MEMBER OF CONGRESS