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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-305, the Capitol Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Gary/Chicago International Airport, Gary, IN (GYY) Cargo Logistics Apron in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Gary/Chicago International Airport Authority, located at 6001 Airport Road, Gary, Indiana 46406.

The funding would be used for construction-related activities associated with the cargo logistics apron. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because will create employment opportunities at the airport and support economic development initiatives pursued by the state of Indiana to attract businesses to this region given its proximity to Chicago and its transportation and logistics nexus.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 49 U.S.C. 47100 et seq.

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

Sincerely,

Frank J. Mrvan

Member of Congress

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