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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
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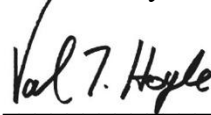
Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Fare Modernization and Integration Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Lane Transit District, located at 3500 E 17th Ave, Springfield, Oregon 97433.

The funding would be used for the replacement of an outdated fare collection system throughout Lane County with one that allows additional payment options, increased efficiency, simple and predictable fares, and the ability to reduce costs for users. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it gives riders simpler payment options, charges fares more accurately and consistently and improves fare collection across the system. The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by chapter 53 of title 49 of the United States Code.

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

Sincerely,



Val Hoyle
Member of Congress