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

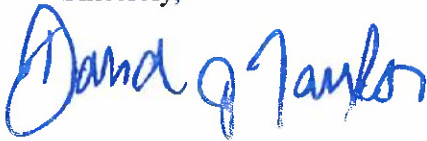
I am requesting funding for the Tactical Armored Rescue Vehicle Acquisition project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Jackson County Sheriff's Office located at 350 Portsmouth Street, Jackson, Ohio 45640.

The funding would be used to purchase a tactical armored rescue vehicle. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this type of vehicle will help Jackson County, and nearby counties who would also be able to use the vehicle, respond to emergency situations in a safer and more effective manner. This project directly improves the safety of the law enforcement community in southeast Ohio. It also improves the safety and security of citizens in the area by making it easier for law enforcement to handle armed criminal situations.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 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,



Congressman David Taylor
Ohio's Second Congressional District