April 29, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Pedestrian Collision Avoidance System in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Regional Transportation Commission of Southern Nevada (RTC) and is located at 600 S. Grand Central Pkwy. Ste. 350 Las Vegas, NV 89106. This funding will provide for the procurement and installation of a pedestrian detection and collision avoidance system on more than 350 transit vehicles. The on-board pedestrian detection and collision avoidance equipment will improve safety for pedestrians, cyclists, and transit riders through real-time alerts for drivers, providing operators with enough time to react and avoid collisions. The system will also enable RTC to collect alert data, which will help to identify areas of conflict between pedestrians or cyclists and vehicles, and identify additional infrastructure improvement needs, such as median fencing, bicycle lanes, wider sidewalks, or improved pedestrian crossings. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Dina Titus
Member of Congress