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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

I am requesting funding for the Trail Along the Rail project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Shoreline, WA, located at 17500 Midvale Ave. N., Shoreline, WA 98133. The funding would be used to support the creation of a 2.5 mile multi-use trail running alongside multiple light rail stations. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will connect transit to communities, improving accessibility to light rail and providing safe pathways for pedestrians and bikes.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 U.S.C. 133(b)(7).

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

Sincerely,



PRAMILA JAYAPAL  
Member of Congress