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The Honorable Peter DeFazio  
Chair  
Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure  
2165 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Sam Graves  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure  
2164 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for the City of Glendale Community Beautification project in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor is the City of Glendale, CA, and the project is located near the Ventura Freeway in the City of Glendale, CA, on Concord Street (between Fairmont Avenue and W. Glenoaks Boulevard), Patterson Avenue (between Concord Street and Easterly Terminus), and Greystone Avenue (between Patterson Avenue and Northerly Terminus), zip codes 91202 and 91203.

The funding is designated for the surface grinding and pavement of road, removal and repair of concrete improvements, such as sidewalks and driveways, removal and replacement of deteriorated traffic striping and pavement markings, which includes installation of advanced shared roadway green bicycle markings, and sanitary sewer and storm drain improvements.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to improve safety and access for all modes of transportation, while encouraging walking and biking to nearby local schools and community parks, benefiting underserved community constituents, as well as neighboring communities and all city visitors alike. As part of this project, approximately 4,300 recycled tires will be used, reducing the amount of scrap rubber tires buried in landfills and impacting the environment. Finally, sewer and drain improvements will prevent surface flooding and improve roadway safety for all modes of transportation.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Adam B. Schiff  
MEMBER OF CONGRESS