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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 Melrose Avenue Complete Street Improvements project in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor is the City of West Hollywood, CA, and the project is located on Melrose Avenue, between San Vicente Boulevard and Croft Avenue, zip code 90046.

The funding is designated for pedestrian and bicycle safety improvements, accessibility upgrades, place making features, upgraded street furniture, electric vehicle charging stations, and smart city infrastructure like municipal fiber optic cables and autonomous vehicle ready smart nodes. Reconstruction of the roadway will improve sidewalks, curb extensions, roadway and pedestrian lighting, bicycle parking and markings, stormwater management, and landscaping.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to improve traffic safety, strengthen the local economy, encourage mode shift towards sustainable active transportation, and prepare futureproof local infrastructure.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Adam B. Schiff". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Adam B. Schiff
MEMBER OF CONGRESS