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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-305, the Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Magic Mountain Parkway Beautification Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Santa Clarita, located at 23920 Valencia Blvd. Santa Clarita, CA. 91355. The requested amount of \$5,000,000 will deliver street improvements on the underdeveloped segment of Magic Mountain Parkway from Tourney Road to Avignon Drive, just east of Interstate 5. Federal investments will provide for the installation of medians along the length of the project, installation of edge curb and gutter, and overlay of the six-lane roadway. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds as it would bring Magic Mountain Parkway, a major highway in the City of Santa Clarita and a component of the National Highway System, into state compliance as required by the California Department of Transportation.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in the Surface Transportation Block Grant Program (23 U.S.C. § 133(b)).

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

Sincerely,

Mike Garcia

Member of Congress