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**Congress of the United States**  
**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-0525**

April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for the State Route 118 Freeway Soundwall Mitigation project in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor for this project is the Ventura County Transportation Commission and the project is located in Simi Valley, California. The funding is designated for the design of soundwalls to mitigate noise impacts from widening the freeway from four to six lanes.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have the following benefits: design much needed sound walls the community has been waiting on for more than 25 years.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mike Garcia".

Mike Garcia  
Member of Congress