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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
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The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the **Joe Louis Greenway** project in Fiscal Year 2023. The intended recipient is the **City of Detroit** located at **115 Erskine Street, Detroit, Michigan, 48201**. The Joe Louis Greenway (JLG) is an initiative to unite 4 municipalities in Southeast Michigan with a 29-mile bicycle and pedestrian loop, bringing vibrant public space in support of economic opportunity to the region. The Hamtramck Drive Connector, a $\frac{3}{4}$ mile segment of the JLG, is a shared-use path, connecting Dequindre Cut Greenway with Joseph Campau Avenue. The construction of the Hamtramck Drive Connector will dramatically expand bicycle and pedestrian connectivity and spur economic development. The Hamtramck Drive Connector will provide nonmotorized transportation away from the GM Factory Zero truck traffic, which is separate from the main road, making it safer for freight, pedestrians, and bicyclists alike. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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