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April 29, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman House Appropriations Committee H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee 1016 Longworth Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the **SMART Rail Extension to Healdsburg - Preliminary Design** project in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is **Sonoma-Marin Area Rail Transit District** (**SMART**), located at 5401 Old Redwood Highway, Suite 200.

The funding would be used for SMART to develop technical studies necessary for Federal environmental clearance activities and modifications to existing State environmental clearances, including possibly modifications to station location and non-motorized pathway routing along the railroad corridor for first and last mile connections to stations and the rail system The project covers over 7-miles of Positive Train Control/Rail Systems services, and just over 6 miles of civil track and bridge reconstruction.

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

Sincerely,

Jared Huffman Member of Congress