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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the 2-Mile Road asphalt overlay project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Lincoln County, located at 10408 Veterans Drive, Meeker, OK 74855. The funding would be used for asphalt overlay on a 3-mile stretch of road.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the current road is unpaved and experiencing deteriorating surface conditions. The road is highly traveled and connects to a main commute corridor. Because of this, improvements have been highly requested by residents in the area. Improving this road will allow for the safety of the citizens of Lincoln County as well as contribute to economic growth in the area.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1).

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

Sincerely,

Stephanie Bice Member of Congress

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