

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3902

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
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 Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for Warwick Police Department Communications Upgrades in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Warwick on behalf of the Warwick Police Department, located at 99 Veterans Memorial Drive, Warwick, Rhode Island, 02886. The requested amount of \$800,000.00 would be used for the acquisition of 60 800MHz portable radios, 40 tri-band portable radios, and 35 mobile scanners.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because modern, interoperable communications will improve the public safety response for the community. This results in better preparation for, reaction to, and mitigation of all types of large-scale emergency and law enforcement events.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in: section 1701(b)(8) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(8)).

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

Regards,



Seth Magaziner
Member of Congress