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## Congress of the United States House of Representatives

May 8, 2024

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Automatic License Plate Readers (ALPRs) for law enforcement in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Mid-America Regional Council, located at 600 Broadway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO 64105.

The funding would help expand Kansas City's existing use of ALPRs. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because ALPRs are a critical law enforcement tool used to locate vehicles involved in crimes, track active incidents, and provide investigative support.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by the Byrne Justice Assistance Grants (JAG) program, section 501 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10152).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Emanuel Cleaver, II".

Emanuel Cleaver, II  
Member of Congress

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