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Chair Steve Womack
Ranking Member Mike Quigley
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies
House Committee on Appropriations
US House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Womack and Ranking Member Quigley,

I am requesting funding in the amount of \$5,200,896 to the Indianapolis Public Transportation Corporation (INDYGO) for the Indianapolis Public Transportation Corporation Fixed Route Fleet Replacement project in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Indianapolis Public Transportation Corporation (INDYGO), located at 1501 West Washington Street, Indianapolis, IN 46222.

The funding would be used for fixed fleet replacement and modernization through the purchase of four vehicles. The vehicles will utilize eGen Flex Diesel-Electric hybrid engine technology. This funding would ensure that IndyGo's fleet is in a state of good repair.

The initiative is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it will support Indianapolis residents with sustainable and reliable mobility options. Fleet replacement directly impacts the traveling residents of the 7th district as it benefits service reliability and the overall operating health of the Agency, plus it also supports the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and the emerging green industry sector.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133(b) (Surface Transportation Block Grant Program).

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

Sincerely,



André Carson
Member of Congress