



**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-1501**

March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for electrified docking stations for shared bicycles in fiscal year 2027. The entity that would receive funding for this project is the District of Columbia government, located at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20004. The funding would be used to install electrified docking stations for Capital Bikeshare. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would reduce the costs of battery replacement and increase the availability of shared electric bicycles.

This project has a federal nexus because the funding provided would be for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. § 5305.

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

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Eleanor H. Norton".

Eleanor Holmes Norton