

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Internet Crimes Against Children Unit Enhancement. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Frisco, Texas. The purpose of this project is to increase the investigative capacity of the Frisco Police Department's Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Unit to meet the growing volume and complexity of technology-facilitated child exploitation offenses. Funding would support enhanced digital forensic tools, advanced investigative software, secure digital evidence storage infrastructure, specialized training, and other operational resources necessary to address escalating caseloads. These resources are essential to accelerate victim identification, expedite offender apprehension, and ensure prosecution-ready evidence that protects vulnerable children and strengthens public safety. This request represents a good use of taxpayer dollars as it protects children from one of the fastest-growing criminal threats in the digital age. Investing in modern digital forensic capabilities now prevents higher long-term costs associated with prolonged investigations, repeated victimization, and complex prosecutions. The project has a federal nexus because it is authorized under 34 U.S.C. §§ 10151-1015.

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

Sincerely,



Brandon Gill
Member of Congress