

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

Washington, DC 20515-1501

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Hardin County Radio Infrastructure Project as a community project in Fiscal Year 2026.

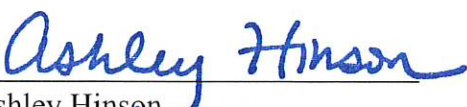
The entity to receive the funding for this project is the Hardin County Sheriff, located at 1116 14th Avenue, Eldora, Iowa 50627.

This project will equip the department with radio consoles and subscriber units to integrate with the Iowa Statewide Interoperability Communication System (ISICS). Hardin County is currently a communication gap in the region, limiting coordination with neighboring counties and state and federal agencies, especially along U.S. Highway 20, which intersects it.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 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 neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Ashley Hinson
Member of Congress
Committee on Appropriations