

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

March 31, 2023

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Town of Leland Unpaved Road Improvement Projects in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Leland located at 102 Town Hall Drive, Leland, NC 28451. The funding would be used to attach currently unpaved roads to paved streets, as the community continues to grow at record rates.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would impact the growing community of Leland, NC, which has grown by almost 10,000 in the last decade. As this growth is expected to continue, updates are needed for the community to respond to its growth.

The Leland Unpaved Road Improvements Project will improve safety for the residents of Leland as well as visitors. This will provide safer multimodal facilities by providing sidewalks for nonmotorized travel. The newly paved roads will increase access to roadways and allow greater connectivity to parks and multi-use paths. By completing the Leland Unpaved Road Improvements Project, active transportation will be promoted. Economic development will be encouraged by completing this project as it will promote revitalization.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized by 23 U.S.C. 133(b).

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

Sincerely,



David Rouzer
Member of Congress