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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
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The Honorable Rosa L DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the **Metrolink Double Track Project** in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the **Riverside County Transportation Commission, located at 4080 Lemon Street, Riverside CA 92501**. The funding would be used to add a second set of tracks between the Moreno Valley/March Field Station and the Perris-South Station. This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project will accommodate additional passenger service and improve existing freight and passenger operations.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Chapter 53 of Title 49.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Takano".

MARK TAKANO
Member of Congress