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## House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-0916

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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 \$3 million in funding for the New College of Florida. This funding is for the planning, permitting, design and initial construction of a pedestrian greenway corridor. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve connectivity and remove physical barriers for community residents by increasing the mobility for non-motorized traffic. The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133(b).

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

Sincerely.

Vern Buchanan Member of Congress

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