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The Honorable David Dreier
Member of Congress
233 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Dreier:

The Alameda Corridor-East Construction Authority respectfully submits for your consideration the attached Fiscal Year 2010 appropriations requests on behalf of the Alameda Corridor-East/San Gabriel Valley Project.

We truly appreciate your leadership and that of your staff in securing significant federal support for the ACE Project. The ACE Construction Authority has been an effective and efficient steward of transportation infrastructure funds. We have completed safety improvements at 39 grade crossings, opened to traffic five grade separations, have three grade separations under construction, will commence construction of two grade separations in 2009 and, if funding is secured, commence construction in 2011 of a railroad trench project to grade separate four crossings, or a total of 14 grade separation projects completed.

An updated traffic study and concept plans will be developed this year for the remaining six grade separation projects in Phase 2 of the ACE program.

The ACE Project will create jobs, increase mobility, enhance safety, reduce greenhouse gases and toxic air emissions, and stimulate regional and interstate commerce in connection with the movement of goods from the Ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach through the San Gabriel Valley.

We thank you for your continued support and the leadership you have provided on behalf of the ACE Project!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tim Spohn", is written over a light gray rectangular background.

Tim Spohn
Chairman, Alameda Corridor-East Construction Authority
City Councilman, City of Industry

Enclosure