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Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-305, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth HOB  
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the **SFB - Terminal Connector Corridor - Sanford, FL** in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the **Sanford Airport Authority**, located at 1200 Red Cleveland Blvd, Sanford, Florida 32773.

The funding would be used for the design and construction of an interior corridor that connects the baggage claim areas of the terminal and the relocation of current spaces located within the footprint of the corridor. This terminal project is consistent with the FAA AIP and PFC statute requirements. The project will provide additional capacity, safety, and security for traveling between the two ends of the terminal.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the terminal at the Orlando Sanford International Airport was constructed over many decades. During the recent renovation and expansion, a consolidation of passenger screening and ticketing occurred combining the two terminals into one. While this consolidation has simplified the departure process, the arrivals process still needs improvements. The project will include energy efficiency upgrades to lighting and HVAC as well as provide ADA improvements.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 49 U.S.C. 47100 et seq.

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

Sincerely,

Cory Mills  
Member of Congress