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The Honorable Sean Duffy U.S. Secretary of Transportation U.S. Department of Transportation 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, D.C. 20590

RE: Hochatown Community Access and Pedestrian Safety Project

Dear Secretary Duffy,

On behalf of the Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT), I am pleased to present this application for 2025 Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) grant funds. We take pride in our mission "to provide a safe, economical and effective transportation network for the people, commerce and communities of Oklahoma" and this application has been developed in this spirit.

ODOT is committing \$13,251,554 in non-federal funds of future eligible project costs as local match for the Hochatown Community Access and Pedestrian Safety Project, should it be selected for award of BUILD grant funds.

Sincerely,

Tim J. Gatz

Executive Director