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Sean Duffy, Secretary
Department of Transportation
1200 New Jersey Ave, S.E.
Washington, DC 20590

Dear Secretary Duffy,

On behalf of our program participants and community of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska in Macy, Nebraska we are writing in support of the Omaha Tribe's application for Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) Grant to improve Highway 75 (US-75) and Main Street by adding a roundabout.

The roundabout project will reduce heavy traffic and greatly reduce accidents due to speeding and bad sight distance therefore, ensuring safer highway traffic due to awareness. This roundabout is close to the entrance for the Nebraska Indian Community College and will again allow a safer highway due to controlled speed. This roundabout projecct would incorporate a sidewalk to the Nebraska Indian Community College campus.

As the Program Director for the Omaha Nation Food Distribution Program, we serve 210 households in our service area with 570 active participants. Our program provides a supplemental food source and for many, is their only food source. Many of our houeholds consist of eldely and youth family members who are still avid drivers yet, a safer highway due to the roundabout would be beneficial.

Improving this road would greatly impove public safety. Please accept this letter of support and give the public safety benefits of this project for the Macy community a serious consideration.

Respectfully,

Marisa Fuller

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