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The Honorable Rodney Davis
Ranking Member
Committee on House Administration
United States House of Representatives
1216 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

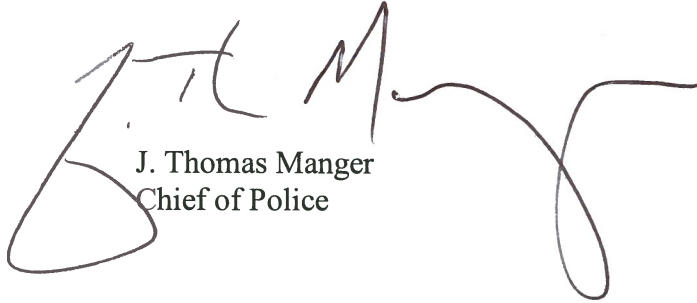
Dear Ranking Member Davis:

I write in response to your letter of June 8, 2022. The Capitol Police Board asked the United States Capitol Police (USCP) to review footage from January 5, 2021, related to a visit by constituents of Representative Barry Loudermilk as requested during our meeting on June 8, 2022. The USCP can confirm the following:

- On January 5, 2021, Representative Loudermilk's group of constituents (a group of approximately 12 people which later grew to 15 people) entered the Rayburn Building at 11:00 a.m. and was met by a Congressional staffer. Shortly thereafter, the group departed from the building entrance (out of camera range but within the building) in the direction of Rayburn Room 2133 (Representative Loudermilk's office).
- The group reappeared on the closed-circuit television system at 1:00 p.m., entering the basement of the Cannon House Office Building (Cannon) that houses a series of exhibits. The group entered the basement of the Cannon from the direction of the Longworth House Office Building (Longworth) cafeteria. The group spent approximately five minutes at the exhibit. During this time, Representative Loudermilk separated from the group and exited the Longworth South Capitol Street Door alone.
- The group continued in the Cannon without Representative Loudermilk. At no time did the group appear in any tunnels that would have led them to the U.S. Capitol. In addition, the tunnels leading to the U.S. Capitol were posted with USCP officers and admittance to the U.S. Capitol without a Member of Congress was not permitted on January 5, 2021.

There is no evidence that Representative Loudermilk entered the U.S. Capitol with this group on January 5, 2021. We train our officers on being alert for people conducting surveillance or reconnaissance, and we do not consider any of the activities we observed as suspicious.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'J. Thomas Manger', with a large, stylized flourish extending to the right.

J. Thomas Manger
Chief of Police

cc: Capitol Police Board