Page 430, after line 23, insert the following:

“(5) Prioritization.—In selecting applications for funding under this section, the Secretary shall prioritize applications that propose a projects for federally designated evacuation routes.

“(6) Federally designated evacuation route defined.—In this subsection, the term ‘federally designated evacuation route’ means a route that—

“(A) is owned, operated, or maintained by a Federal, State, Tribal, or local government or a private entity;

“(B) is used—

“(i) to transport the public away from an emergency event (as defined in section 667.3 of title 23, Code of Federal Regulations (or successor regulations)) that is anticipated, reasonably likely, ongoing, or past; or
“(ii) to transport emergency responders and recovery resources; and

“(C) is designated by the State in which the route is located (or in the case of a federally owned route, the head of the Federal agency with jurisdiction over the route) for the purposes described in subparagraph (B).