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May 10, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the SL 335 - Upgrade to Freeway - Amarillo West of FM 2590 to South to FM 2186; Amarillo, Texas, 13th Congressional District project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Texas Department of Transportation, located at 5715 Canyon Dr. Amarillo, Texas 79110. The funding would be used for the SL 335 - Upgrade to Freeway - Amarillo West of FM 2590 to South to FM 2186 (TxDOT Project ID 02494-02-01). This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Texas Department of Transportation Amarillo District and the Amarillo Metropolitan Planning Organization have identified SL 335 as a top priority, transportation project candidate with the goal of upgrading the entire loop to a controlled-access roadway consisting of main lanes, ramps, one-way frontage roads with bicycle and pedestrian accommodations, and four multi-level interchanges, which will increase the safety of the residents and pedestrians of the City of Amarillo.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized by 23 U.S.C. 133(b)(1).

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

Sincerely,



Ronny L. Jackson
Member of Congress