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The Honorable Kay Granger Chair Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

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I am requesting funding for the widening of Leonard Road and Groesbeck Road in Bryan, Texas in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Bryan, located at 300 S. Texas Ave., Bryan, Texas, 77803. The funding would be used to widen an existing two-lane rural road to an urban roadway with four lanes of travel, raised medians and turn lanes, curb and gutter, and a major creek crossing drainage structure enlargement. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the widening of the road would help the area as it is the most direct thoroughfare between Downtown Bryan and Texas A&M's RELLIS Campus, which continues to grow and is home to several of Texas A&M University's partnerships with the U.S. government.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C 5305(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,

Michael T. McCaul Member of Congress