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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chair House Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am writing to request funding for the <u>City of Dallas Water Commons Eco Park Project</u> for Fiscal Year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the <u>City of Dallas</u>, <u>TX</u> and the project will be located at **1401 Botham Jean Boulevard**, <u>Dallas</u>, <u>TX 75215</u>. The funding would be used to build a park that will also provide water infrastructure to address flood management, water remediation, and filtration issues. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds as the City of Dallas Water Commons Eco Project will continue to function as a pedestrian and community recreational green space while simultaneously flood management area with the Dallas Water Utilities. This City of Dallas Water Commons Eco Park will also support a more complex ecosystem of plants, cleaner water, and science visible to the public, as well as serve as a resource for other municipalities, elected officials, urban planners, developers, and educators.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. § 5305(a)(1).

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

Sincerely,

Jasmine Crockett Member of Congress