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May 10, 2024

The Honorable Steve Womack
Chairman
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing
and Urban Development, Related Agencies
Committee on Appropriations
Washington, D.C. 20515-6015

The Honorable Mike Quigley
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing
and Urban Development, Related Agencies
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Dear Chairman Womack and Ranking Member Quigley:

I am requesting funding for the Portside Intermodal Cargo Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Port of Port Arthur, located at 221 Houston Avenue (P.O. Box 1428) Port Arthur, Texas 77640. The funding would be used for the design and construction of a 6.5-acre waterside laydown yard with road, rail, and maritime access supporting U.S. exports and U.S. manufacturing. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it enhances connectivity between road, rail, and maritime, while it supports American exports and manufacturing, the U.S. military, and local job creation.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 54301 of title 46, United States Code, as amended by title XXXV of division C of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2024.

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

Sincerely,

RANDY K. WEBER

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