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MEMBER OF CONGRESS
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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
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chairman Womack and Ranking Member Quigley:

I am requesting funding for the Port of Orange Dravo Bulkhead in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Orange County Navigation and Port District (Port of Orange), located at 1201 S. Childers Road, Orange, Texas 77630. The funding would be used for construction on the west side of the Dravo Peninsula to improve waterway access to stabilize backlands area to allow for safe cargo transfer. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it expands cargo transportation capabilities, and shipping and logistics, while improving port operations and management.

This project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by the Port Infrastructure Development Program projects are projects eligible under 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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