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

The Honorable Mike Quigley  
Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing  
and Urban Development, and Related  
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Washington, D.C. 20515-6015

Dear Chairman Womack and Ranking Member Quigley:

I am requesting funding for the Port of Beaumont Low Line Rail Restoration Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Port of Beaumont Navigation District of Jefferson County, Texas, located at 1225 Main Street, Beaumont, Texas 77707. The funding would be used for enhancing system connectivity by bringing the Port of Beaumont's inoperable Low Line Rail infrastructure, which was destroyed in 2017 as result of Hurricane Harvey, into service. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will create a rail track grade separation, allowing rail cars to enter and exit the Port for switching purposes, without crossing the Sunset Route, which is one of the busiest mainline tracks in Texas.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by the CRISI program authorized in section 22907 of title 49, United States Code.

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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