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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting 5,000,000 for Joint K9/Bomb Squad Complex for community project funding request. The intended recipient is DFW Airport located at 400 Aviation Dr, DFW Airport, TX 7526.

I am requesting Joint K9/Bomb Squad Complex. The funding would be used for a A new consolidated K9 and Bomb Squad station is critical to the unit's expansion plan. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because The DPS Police K9/Bomb Squad Unit has more than doubled since 2013. The current facility has been stretched beyond capacity over the last 10+ years. Addressing aging infrastructure is essential to support incrementally adding more personnel, canines, and equipment as needed to accommodate increasing annual passenger loads.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 1701(b)(8) of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. § 10381(b)(8))

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

Sincerely,



Beth Van Duyne
Member of Congress