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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,

As you begin crafting the Fiscal Year 2026 Commerce, Justice, Science and related agencies bill, I respectfully request I am requesting \$11,000,00 of funding for Dallas Ft. Worth Airport in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is DFW Airport located at 2400 Aviation Drive DFW Airport, TX.

This request supports funding the new Joint K9/ Bomb Squad Complex will allow the unit to flourish. The facility will allow officers adequate room for office space, training, and storage of highly specialized equipment as well as provide kennels that meet TSA regulations. The adaptive reuse of ARFF Station 4 will, moreover, increase employee engagement, while fulfilling the needs of stakeholders, and our regional partners and maintaining a high level of performance, preparedness, and expedited response time.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by the 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.

Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,



Beth Van Duyne  
Member of Congress