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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa L DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$5,000,000 in funding for the **DART Cityplace Tower Modernization** project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Dallas Area Rapid Transit, located at 1401 Pacific Ave, Dallas, TX 75202. The funding would be used to comprehensively revitalize the interior of DART's only subterranean light rail passenger station at both the mezzanine and lowest level. All finishes will be replaced with contemporary, durable materials to create a brighter, more comfortable rider experience while reducing long-term maintenance needs, and updated building systems will be seamlessly integrated to improve efficiency.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because improvements will elevate the existing customer experience and increase community mobility and connectivity for North Texas families, visitors, and employers.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in Chapter 53 of title 49 of the United States Code.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Julie E. Johnson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Julie E. Johnson  
Member of Congress