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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 \$2,184,000 in funding for the **Hemlock Avenue Safe Streets Enhancements** project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Dallas located at 1500 Marilla Street Dallas, TX 75201. The funding would be used for sidewalk construction, upgrades, improved crosswalks, traffic signals, ADA-compliant pedestrian pathways, lighting, and safety enhancements.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it encourages local economic development by improving access to businesses and public services, enhances mobility for non-drivers, and supports sustainable transit accessibility by providing safe and walkable routes to the Park Lane Light Rail Station and bus stops.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in the Highway Infrastructure Projects (23 USC 133).

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

Sincerely,

Julie E. Johnson Member of Congress