



Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515
March 27th, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rose DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the City of Grandview Flood Resilience & Emergency Access Improvement project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Grandview, located at 1100 McDuff Ave. PO BOX 425, Grandview, TX 76050. The funding would be used for reconstruction of a deteriorated roadway segment and correction of longstanding drainage failures that currently prevent reliable east–west travel across the community. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because by correcting drainage failures and reconstructing a durable all-weather roadway connection to the County Road system, the project improves emergency response reliability, resident mobility, and transportation resilience for a growing rural community adjacent to the I-35 corridor.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'J. Ellzey'.

Jake Ellzey
Member of Congress