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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20510

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Sugar Land Animal Shelter in fiscal year 2027.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Sugar Land, located at 2700 Town Center Blvd N, Sugar Land, TX 77479.

If appropriated, the funding will be used to construct a new animal shelter for the City of Sugar Land, replacing an outdated facility that is over capacity with a new facility that includes new animal housing, intake/veterinary space, and animal exercise and play yards. This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the shelter is a high priority for the residents of Sugar Land, approved by taxpayers in two separate bonds, and will vastly expand the City of Sugar Land's capacity to house and treat cats and dogs.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title 42 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, Public Law 93-383, as amended 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lizzie Fletcher". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Lizzie Fletcher  
Member of Congress