

March 4, 2024

Michael McCaul, Congressman 10th District of Texas Chairman, House Foreign Affairs Committee 175 Century Square Dr. | Suite 210 | College Station, Texas 77840

Re: Letter of Support for 10th District of Texas Community Projects and Funding

Dear Congressman McCaul,

On behalf of the citizens and businesses of the City of Manor, I am seeking your office's support and prioritization of funding to help our community address our water and sewer infrastructure needs in providing a regional solution to the growth taking place in your district. The City of Manor is partnering with the Texas Department of Transportation, Central Texas Regional Mobility Authority, and Travis County Commissioner Court to fund their respective highway and roadway improvements in this section of Travis County.

Since the 2010 census, the City of Manor has emerged from a small town of 5,037 population with limited transportation assets to be strategically located in the path of growth at the intersection of U.S. 290 and FM 973, to a community of 30,000+ citizens that include ShadowGlen and Presidential Meadow municipal utility districts.

Improving our regional transportation in the 10th District portion of Travis County is critical in seeking your support to fund the required transportation studies and construction funds to upgrade the state highway system through our community safely. Prioritizing the Community Project Funding projects that we submit will illustrate the City Council's strategic vision of planning and preparing our citizens and business stakeholders for the unique opportunity that will transcend jurisdictional boundaries and accelerate public infrastructure improvements for viable short- and long-term solutions for our local and regional mobility needs.

With the City of Manor projected to add 14,000 housing units (an estimated 42,000 population increase) residing in our community over the next 7 to 10 years, managing the region's rapid growth and transportation infrastructure has become a top priority, FM 973 North, U.S. 290 East, and SH 95 South are regional projects that cannot be understated. Texas Municipal League Region 10 cities and businesses stand united with us.

We look forward to collaborating and assisting your office with supporting the city's list of Community Project Funding priorities for the eastern crescent of Travis County and providing the families and businesses a sense of community and genuine care for their safety and protection.

Always working to make the world a better place,

Dr. Christopher Harvey, Mayor