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The Honorable Sylvia Garcia
United States House of Representatives
2419 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Re: FY 26 Community Project Funding - Letter of Support for the Greater Northside Sidewalk and Safety Project

Dear Congresswoman Garcia,

I am pleased to support the Greater Northside Sidewalk and Safety Project, proposed by the Greater Northside Management District, as part of the FY 2026 Community Project Funding process. This project represents a thoughtful, community-driven investment that will enhance pedestrian safety, improve connectivity, and support inclusive economic growth in one of Houston's most historic and diverse neighborhoods.

The Greater Northside is home to thousands of residents—including families, seniors, students, and essential workers—many of whom depend on safe, walkable routes to schools, businesses, parks, and transit stops. Unfortunately, much of the area's pedestrian infrastructure is outdated, insufficient, or missing entirely. This creates serious safety risks and limits equitable access to opportunity.

This project will deliver meaningful improvements by constructing new sidewalks, crosswalks, ADA-accessible ramps, and other key infrastructure such as lighting, intersection improvements, signage, landscaping, and necessary utility adjustments. These upgrades will enhance public safety, promote active transportation, and improve the overall quality of life for residents and visitors alike. The improvements will also support small businesses by making the community more accessible and pedestrian friendly.

Investments like the Greater Northside Sidewalk and Safety Project are essential to building safer, stronger, and more connected communities.

Thank you for your support of this project and our community.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sallie Alcorn". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline.

Sallie Alcorn