

May 23, 2025

The Honorable Daniel Webster
Member of Congress
2184 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Webster,

I am writing to express my strong support for the first phase of the multi-year Signage and Wayfinding Project at Orlando International Airport (OIA)—a project that will directly improve the travel experience of our residents and the nearly 60 million passengers who rely on OIA's roadways each year.

OIA is one of the busiest airports in the United States, serving as a critical hub not just for Orlando, but for all of Central Florida. Each of those 60 million annual passengers interacts with the airport's roadway system to access the airport.

This project introduces new Variable Message Signs (VMS) along Jeff Fuqua and Heintzelman Boulevards to guide drivers in real time, helping them navigate more efficiently and avoid the most congested areas. A key strategy is to reroute vehicles to less crowded roadways—particularly Heintzelman Boulevard on the east side of the airport—to reduce pressure on the busiest terminals.

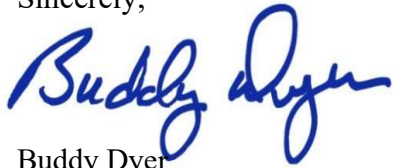
The benefits of this project will be immediately visible to travelers. By improving traffic flow, minimizing delays, and creating clearer navigation, we will significantly elevate the passenger experience at one of the country's premier travel gateways. This will not only ease the journey for millions of travelers, but also enhance Orlando's reputation as a welcoming and accessible destination.

These upgrades are a vital step in ensuring that OIA's infrastructure keeps pace with passenger growth while maintaining world-class standards of service, efficiency, and safety.

As the gateway to our region, OIA contributes billions to our economy and shapes the first and last impressions of millions of travelers. Investing in smarter signage and modern traffic management tools is an investment in every one of those 60 million passenger journeys—and in the future of Orlando.

Thank you for your ongoing support of OIA and for your commitment to infrastructure projects that directly benefit the people who live in and travel to our community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Buddy Dyer". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Buddy" being more prominent than the last name "Dyer".

Buddy Dyer
Mayor



Mayor John Dowless

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Dear Congressman Webster,

As Mayor of the City of Edgewood, I write to express my strong support for the first phase of the Signage and Wayfinding Project at Orlando International Airport (OIA). This initiative is a critical infrastructure improvement that will enhance the travel experience for the residents of our city who live just a few miles north of OIA.

OIA serves nearly 60 million passengers each year—making it not only one of the busiest airports in the country, but also one of the most vital economic engines in the state of Florida. Efficient access to and from the airport is essential not just for convenience, but for maintaining the economic momentum that communities like Edgewood depend on.

As Mayor of Edgewood, I view this project as a direct benefit to the people I serve. Edgewood is a small but vibrant city nestled between Orlando International Airport and downtown Orlando. Our community is home to families, small businesses, and professionals who travel through OIA regularly for work and leisure. Improved roadway navigation and reduced congestion will make these trips smoother and more efficient. Moreover, as part of the broader metro area, Edgewood benefits from the economic vitality that OIA sustains through tourism and regional connectivity.

I support this project not only because it strengthens airport infrastructure, but because it strengthens the everyday lives of those who live in and travel through our community. Thank you for your consideration and for supporting projects that uplift the entire region.

Sincerely,



John Dowless Mayor