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COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

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Dear Amon:

Just a brief note to tell you that I appeared before the Civil Functions Subcommittee of the Senate Appropriations Committee last Friday in behalf of an adequate appropriation for the Fort Worth Floodway Project.

Fritz Lanham made a most effective statement in behalf of the project, and I am hopeful that the committee will see fit to approve sufficient funds to carry on a substantial amount of work during fiscal 1953. A total of \$750,000 was requested in the budget for the Fort WorthFloodway, and the House has reduced the appropriation to \$650,000.00. I don't know yet what the Senate will do, but I am told that in either case the Army Engineers will be able to carry on its program in a practical and uninterrupted manner.

With best wishes, I am

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Lyndon B. Johnson

Mr. Amon G. Carter, Sr., Fort Worth Star Telegram, Fort Worth, Texas.

