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The Honorable Kay Granger  
Chairwoman  
House Appropriations Committee  
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H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
Democrats  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Pocono Township Corridor Water Main Corrosion Mitigation & Replacement Project and Core System Improvements in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The funding would be used for an investigation into cause and remediation of extreme corrosion of existing water line within the Pocono Township Commercial Corridor, to include: a) causation determination, b) hydraulic modeling, and c) design and permitting of replacement waterline of approximately eight miles, as well as to mitigate constraints within the System Core allowing for an increase in capacity to the Pocono Commercial Corridor. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project will ensure safe public water service delivery, contributing to economic growth in the community.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 219(f)(387), WRDA 1992 (P.L. 102-580), as amended. (387) was added to Section 219(f) in Section 8375 of WRDA 2022 (Division H, Title LXXXI of P.L. 117-263).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Matt Cartwright  
Member of Congress