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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
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May 9, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307, U.S. Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Franklin, NC Treatment Plant Clearwell and High Service Pumps project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Franklin, NC, located at 95 E Main St, Franklin, NC 28734. This project will replace the Town of Franklin's existing 56,000-gallon clearwell and high service pumps with a new 250,000 gallon clearwell and a new pump station with two high service pumps rated for 2.0 MGD each.

This project is good use of taxpayer funds because a new clearwell and high-service pump station would help to address aging infrastructure, provide for more clearwell storage, and ensure the Town of Franklin can maintain a rigorous purification program that exceeds the regulations set by the federal government's Safe Drinking Water Act.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

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

Sincerely,

Chuck Edwards
Member of Congress