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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 Elk Park Water Infrastructure and Equipment project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity receiving funding for this project is the Town of Elk Park, located at 169 Winters St, Elk Park, NC 28622. This project would ensure the long-term resilience, safety, and reliability of the Town of Elk Park's water and sewer systems for decades to come.

This project is a good use of taxpayer funds because it targets vital public infrastructure that directly affects residents' health, safety, and quality of life; and it would enable Elk Park to make strategic, cost-effective investments to preserve essential services, reduce future maintenance costs, and build infrastructure that meets federal, state, and local standards.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for the 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