

# Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Appropriations Committee  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Womack and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Brownsville Water Intake Tower Improvements for Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Edmonson County Water District located at 1128 KY Hwy 259 N., Brownsville, KY 42210. The funding will be used to replace the Brownsville intake structure and tower to provide more reliable water from the Green River for potable water in Edmonson, Hart and Grayson Counties. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars because it ensures that Kentucky residents continue to have access to dependable water, safeguarding the public health and supporting regional resilience for year to come.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

Sincerely,



Brett Guthrie  
Member of Congress