

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

March 20, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for City of Island Water Line Replacement in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Island located at 280 Adams Street, Island, KY 42350. The funding would be used for replacing approximately 29,540 linear feet of aging Asbestos-Cement water lines with safer, modern PVC pipe. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it prevents service interruptions, protects residents and workers from asbestos exposure, reduces long-term maintenance and emergency repair costs, and ensures a safe and reliable drinking water supply for the community.

The 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,



Brett Guthrie
Member of Congress