

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

May 2, 2025

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 Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Lewisport Water Treatment Plant for Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Lewisport Municipal Water Works located at 405 Second Street, Lewisport, KY 42351. The funding would be used to construct a new regional water treatment plant that will help to provide a sustainable source of safe-drinking water for Hancock County. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this project will not only replace a water treatment plant that is nearing the end of its useful life but will also construct a new regional water treatment plant that will serve all of Hancock County.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a)(2).

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