

Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

March 19, 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 Hawesville Water System Improvements in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Hawesville, located at 395 Main Street, Hawesville, KY 42348. The City of Hawesville will upgrade critical water infrastructure by recoating existing water storage tanks, removing obsolete structures, and improving pump stations to enhance system reliability and efficiency. This is a good use of taxpayer dollars because it focuses on preventative infrastructure improvements that reduce long-term costs and protect public health.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized under Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a)(2).

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Brett Guthrie
Member of Congress