

# 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 Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Meade County Water District Flaherty Upgrades for fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Meade County Water District located at 1003 Armory Place, Brandenburg, KY 40108. The project will replace all the asbestos concrete (A/C) lines in the community that are prone to frequent leaks. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because they will be able to provide a more reliable and higher quality supply of water in the oldest section of the Meade County Water District's system.

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