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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
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H-305, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I respectfully request funding for the Lufkin Industrial Park Lift Station project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Lufkin, located at 300 E. Shepherd, Lufkin, Texas 75901.

This \$1,560,000 request would be used to rehabilitate and replace an existing undersized sanitary sewer lift station serving northeast Lufkin and the Lufkin Industrial Park. The project will replace the current 1.6 million gallon per day (MGD) lift station with a modern 3.0 MGD facility, increasing system capacity and improving reliability to meet current and projected demand.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will reduce the risk of sanitary sewer overflows that could negatively impact water quality and public health, while ensuring reliable wastewater conveyance to treatment facilities. In addition, the project will support continued economic development and job growth within the industrial park by providing the necessary wastewater infrastructure capacity to serve existing and future businesses.

This project has a federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C 1381 et seq.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have any financial interest in this project. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Pete Sessions  
Member of Congress