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

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Camas Drinking Water PFAS Remediation Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Camas, located at 616 NE 4th Avenue, Camas, WA 98607. The funding would be used for the designing and permitting of a water treatment facility to treat the PFAS that is in its drinking water source. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the City of Camas' Lower Well Field serves as the source for 85 percent of the City's drinking water supply. Quarterly testing conducted over the past few years revealed the presence of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) contamination exceeding Washington State Action Levels (SALs) and the USEPA's maximum contamination limit of 4 parts per trillion leading threatening the environment and community.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'MGP', written in a cursive style.

Marie Gluesenkamp Perez
Member of Congress