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COMMITTEE ON  
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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 Mantua Public Water System Rehabilitation Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Portage County Water Resource Department, located at 8116 Infirmary Rd. Ravenna, OH 44266. The funding would be used for replacement of failing water mains. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it replaces waterlines containing lead components and replaces watermains to improve water pressure to safe levels.

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

David P. Joyce  
Member of Congress