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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Committee on Appropriations H-305, The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Ultraviolet (UV) Disinfection Replacement Project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, located at 5019 Imhoff Place, Martinez, California 94553.

The funding would be used for upgrading the ultraviolet (UV) technology to disinfect treated wastewater, making the process more energy efficient and increasing disinfection capacity during wet weather events. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because these upgrades will reduce the energy footprint of Central San's wastewater treatment system and protect public health and water quality.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for the purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C 1381 et seq.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Mark DeSaulnier Member of Congress

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