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March 20, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 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 \$4,000,000 for the Triangle Wastewater Treatment Plant Phase IV Rehabilitation and Improvements project in Fiscal Year 2027 (FY27). The entity to receive funding for this project is Durham County, located at 200 E. Main Street, Durham, NC 27701. The funding would be used to upgrade aging infrastructure, improve nutrient removal performance, and strengthen the plant's ability to meet the growing needs of the service area.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve preliminary treatment and enhance the grit removal system, both of which will protect downstream processes. This investment will prevent future repairs and emergencies and produce long-term savings for taxpayers.

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



Valerie P. Foushee
MEMBER OF CONGRESS