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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 \$1,320,000 for the Gravelly Hill Pump Station Upgrades project in Fiscal Year 2027 (FY27). The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Mebane, located at 106 E. Washington Street, Mebane, NC 27302. The funding would be used to construct a sewer force main and make necessary electrical and pumping upgrades at Gravelly Hill Pump Station.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will be used to expand the City's water and sewer systems. The existing water infrastructure is undersized to meet the City's demands as major construction is anticipated in the area.

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