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The Honorable Tom Cole Chair Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Appropriations Committee U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the **Hillside Drinking Water Improvement Project** in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Hillside, located at 425 Hillside Avenue Hillside, IL, 60162. The funding would be used to improve the drinking water infrastructure by rehabilitating and replacing transmission and distribution pipes to prevent contamination caused by leaks or breaks and to maintain water pressure at safe levels. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will reduce the need for frequent and costly repairs to the water distribution system, improve public health by eliminating exposure to lead, and ensure stable, reliable, and safe drinking water.

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,

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Danny K. Davis Member of Congress



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