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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the City of McHenry for the Lead Line Replacement Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of McHenry located at 333 S. Green St., McHenry, IL 60050.

The funding would be used for the replacement of approximately 280 lead service lines within the city's distribution system. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve water quality and overall public health for residents.

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,



Bill Foster
Member of Congress