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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  
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the City of St. Charles for the 12th Street Utility Improvement Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of St. Charles located at 2 E. Main St., St. Charles, IL 60174.

The funding would be used for the replacement of sanitary and water utilities, and the addition of a new storm sewer on N. 12th Street. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve overall sewer capacity, reduce flooding, and decrease erosion and sediment transmission to the Fox River from storm sewer outfalls.

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