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Chairman Tom Cole Committee on Appropriations H-307, U.S. Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 Ranking Member Rosa DeLauro Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Petersburg Water Meter Improvements project in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Petersburg, located at 135 N Union Street, Petersburg, VA 23803. The funding would be used to install more accurate and efficient water meters for residents.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will reduce water loss/recovery capacity, improve service reliability, increase operational efficiency, improve compliance with state and national compliance standards, and reduce customer complaints. 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,

Jennifer L. McClellan

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Member of Congress