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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-1310

March 20, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$2,500,000 in funding for Medinah Water Main Project in fiscal year 2027.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The funding would be used to construct a new water main to deliver clean, safe drinking water and reduce the risk of contamination caused by aging pipes, leaks, or pressure issues.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it maintains compliance with drinking water standards, increases water flow and pressure to fire hydrants- enabling faster and more effective emergency response by fire departments, and provides sufficient water capacity to serve existing neighborhoods and accommodate future residential and commercial development.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 485 of the Thomas R. Carper Water Resources Development Act of 2024 (Public Law 118-272).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bradley S. Schneider".

Bradley S. Schneider
Member of Congress