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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 HOB Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$1,360,000 in community project funding for the Chuckey Utility District water line relocation and water storage tank replacement in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Chuckey Utility District, located at 15 Tusculum Bypass, Tusculum, TN 37745. The funding would be used for the relocation of a six-inch water line to an appropriate, secure location and construction of a new water storage tank to replace the existing, aged structure to provide more reliable, clean water services for residential and commercial customers of Chuckey Utility District. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because relocation will prevent likelihood of water contamination and ensure more reliability and quality drinking water services for these citizens. The water tank replacement will also improve water pressure and increase access to current and future residents. These projects will improve the public health and welfare of residents in Greene County.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI 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,

Member of Congress

Diana Harshbarger