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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Appropriations Committee  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington DC, 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Appropriations Committee  
1036 Longworth HOB  
Washington DC, 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$1,740,784 in funding for Glen Hills Utility District for Transmission Line Replacement in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Glen Hills Utility District located at 2170 Newport Highway, TN 37743. The funding would be used to construct a river crossing and install an associated 6" water main to connect the District's water systems on the north and south side of the Nolichucky River near Newport Highway. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide residents with reliable access to clean, potable drinking water which will protect the health and general welfare of East Tennesseans.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Diana Harshbarger".

Diana Harshbarger  
Member of Congress