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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City Park Stormwater Management Initiative, Phase I in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City Park Improvement Association, located at One Palm Drive, New Orleans, Louisiana 70124. The City Park Improvement Association is a political subdivision of the State of Louisiana. The funding would be used to reduce the stormwater input to nearby Sewerage and Water Board Pump Station #7 by close to 10% through implementing completely natural stormwater management inside park grounds with no intrusion to surrounding neighborhoods. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will support City Park's investments in resiliency and stormwater management, which will reduce the persistent impact of flooding for the City of New Orleans.

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. 13831 et seq.

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

Sincerely,

Troy A. Carter, Sr. Member of Congress