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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Kenner's Sewer/Wastewater Treatment Plant Stabilization and Improvement Project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Kenner, located at 1610 Reverend Richmond Wilson Drive, Kenner, LA 70062. The funding would be used to stabilize and improve the City of Kenner's aging sewer system, which faces significant challenges relative to its infrastructure that has deteriorated over time, necessitating continuous maintenance and extensive upgrades to ensure the system's reliability. This project would provide belt press replacements, control panel upgrades, and return activated sludge (RAS) pump station stabilization and improvements. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it ensures the stability of the sewer system, which residents and businesses rely on. The City of Kenner is home to the Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport and improving the sewer system will also ensure the continuing operability of this critical transportation hub.

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,



Troy A. Carter, Sr
Member of Congress