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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the St. Claude Avenue Culvert Drainage Improvements Project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is St. Bernard Parish Government, located at 8201 W. Judge Perez Dr., Chalmette, LA 70043. The funding would be used to complete St. Claude Avenue Culvert drainage improvements to mitigate the effects of flash floods which have adversely impacted residents' well-being and quality of life by disrupting commerce and limiting access to public facilities. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would maintain a critical transportation route that is used to support significant industries. This project will result in the retention of at least 1,200 jobs and affect a benefit area that includes 4,533 residents.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "T. Carter", written over a horizontal line.

Troy A. Carter, Sr.
Member of Congress