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Congress of the United States
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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 funding for the New Hope Sewer System Improvements project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of New Hope, located at 5484 Main Drive, New Hope, Alabama, 35760. The funding will be used to rehabilitate key portions of deficient gravity sewers, upgrade critical system components, restore structural integrity, and ensure hydraulic performance. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it protects public health, maintains environmental compliance, and ensures reliable wastewater service for residents and local businesses while supporting long-term community growth and infrastructure resilience.

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,



Dale W. Strong
Member of Congress