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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Combes—Lift Stations Reconstruction, Upgrades, and Repairs Phase II project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Combes, Texas, located at 21626 Hand Road, Combes, Texas 78552.

The funding would be used to reconstruct, upgrade, and rehabilitate, two sewer lift stations that have deteriorated. This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project will restore full functionality and improve system reliability to protect the health and safety of the community.

This project has a federal nexus as it is for the same purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Vicente Gonzalez  
Member of Congress