



Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Williamsburg Water Distribution System Capacity and Condition Improvements project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Williamsburg, located at 210 W State St, Williamsburg, IA 52361.

The funding for this project will be used for replacing water mains in a residential area along Chatham Street in Williamsburg, extending from North Street on the north end to Welsh Street on the south end. The existing cast iron water mains are deteriorating and prone to corrosion and breaks due to age and condition.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will protect public health and safety by reducing potential exposure to lead service lines and increasing available fire flow for fire protection services. The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized under Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a)(2).

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mariannette J. Miller-Meeks".

Mariannette Miller-Meeks, M.D.
Member of Congress