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

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Lisbon North Market Sanitary Sewer Project in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Lisbon, located at 203 N. Market St., Lisbon, Ohio, 44432.

The funding would be used for the complete replacement of a 3,100 lineal foot sewer line, which has had numerous failures since 2019. Replacement plans call for upgrading from an 8" line to 12" pipe to handle increased throughflow. The sewer replacement covers all parcels in the northern portion of the Village.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will ensure the Village can avoid emergency repairs, waste spills, and meet state and local EPA requirements well into the future. Entities impacted by failures which stand to benefit include: 300 households, 20 businesses, two factories, a senior center, a facility for the developmentally disabled, one hospital-aligned clinic, the Columbiana County Head Start, Columbiana County Jobs and Family Services' offices, a post office, and a BMV.

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,



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