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The Honorable Kay Granger  
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 2308 Rayburn House Office Building  
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
 Ranking Member  
 Committee on Appropriations  
 2413 Rayburn House Office Building  
 Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Gatesville Wastewater Main Replacement Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the city of Gatesville, located at 803 E. Main Street, Gatesville TX 76528. The funding would be used for replacement of the wastewater force main that serves North Fort Hood and other parts of the city. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it reduces the risk of sewer contamination of an adjacent FEMA floodplain with at least one tributary that runs to the Leon River.

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 that reads "John R. Carter".

John Carter  
 Member of Congress