

Congress of the United States  
Washington, DC 20515

May 10, 2024

The Honorable Mike Simpson  
Chairman  
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment,  
and Related Agencies  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Chellie Pingree  
Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment,  
and Related Agencies  
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Dear Chairman Simpson and Ranking Member Pingree:

I am requesting funding for the Northwest Cobb Water Reclamation Facility Headworks and Dewatering Replacement project in fiscal year 2025.

The facility reclaims wastewater, producing reuse-quality water that is either discharged to Lake Allatoona or provided to several urban reuse customers for irrigation purposes. Some of the critical components at this facility such as influent screens, grit chambers, and belt press dewatering devices are at the end of their service life and in need of replacement. The requested amount of \$800,000 would be used to upgrade existing processes at the reclamation facility to new technology that is more efficient at treating incoming wastewater to the facility.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely



Barry Loudermilk  
Member of Congress