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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman 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 Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Upper ER Sewer Improvement Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Marietta, located at 205 Lawrence St NE, Marietta, Georgia 30060. The funding would be used for critical repairs and improvements to the sewer main, including the replacement of 7,800 feet of sewer main collecting wastewater from Kennestone Hospital. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this sewer system collects wastewater from 3,200 residences, 800 businesses and from 220,000 patients at Kennestone Hospital. However, it has been determined to be in critical condition and in immediate need of replacement. The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title IV 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

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Barry Loudermilk Member of Congress