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The Honorable Tom Cole, Chair
Committee on Appropriations
H-307 Capitol Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

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

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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Kennydale Lakeline Sanitary Sewer and Water Quality Preservation Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Renton located at 1055 S. Grady Way, Renton, WA 98057.

This funding would be used by the City of Renton, to replace the deteriorating Kennydale Lakeline Sewer System in Renton. This is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds as the new system will be located on land, replacing the underwater pipes with modern materials and individual grinder pumps to enhance accessibility, reliability, and prevent environmental contamination. Funded by comprehensive assessments and supported by community engagement, this infrastructure upgrade promises significant improvements in public health, environmental sustainability, and community resilience.

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 neither I nor anyone in my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Adam Smith
Member of Congress