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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20510

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 Turkey Gully Bypass Stormwater Detention Basin Project in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Harris County Flood Control District, located at 9900 Northwest Freeway, Houston, TX 77092.

If appropriated, the funding would be used to construct a detention basin in conjunction with a City of Houston drainage project. In an area that consistently floods, the City of Houston plans to divert flows from Turkey Gully to White Oak Bayou through new storm sewers. The construction of a new detention basin at the same time will mitigate adverse impacts of additional flow through White Oak Bayou and increase capacity. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would reduce flood risk for the surrounding community and entire region.

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. 138) et seq.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lizzie Fletcher". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Lizzie Fletcher
Member of Congress