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

I am requesting funding for Keegans Bayou Drainage Improvements near Old Richmond Road in fiscal year 2024.

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

If awarded, the funding would be used to manage and treat stormwater through the construction of a stormwater detention basin with green infrastructure features in the Keegans Bayou Watershed.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will reduce stormwater pollutants, enhance water quality, and provide immediate benefits to an estimated 127 structures and long-term benefits for up to 2,500 structures in Harris and Fort Bend counties.

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 my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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Lizzie Fletcher Member of Congress