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House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations H-305 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa Delauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member Delauro,

I am requesting funding for the 7 Mile Sewer Rehabilitation in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Great Lakes Water Authority, located at 735 Randolph, Suite 190 Detroit, MI 48226.

The funding would be used to repair and rehabilitate the 7 Mile Relief Sewer to extend the service life of these sewers by 25 to 30 years. The current condition of portions of the 7 Mile Sewer System is very poor with risk of failure. This is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because these repairs are necessary to ensure that the sewers can continue to function.

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. [Clean Water Projects].

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Shri Thanedar

Member of Congress