



Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

May 1, 2024

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 Fox Creek Enclosure Condition Assessment 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 inspect, clean, and perform necessary repairs to the Fox Creek Enclosure of the Wayne county regional sewer system. This will give the Great Lakes Water Authority the opportunity to improve the system's resilience, especially during heavy rain. This is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because optimizing the sewer system will allow GLWA to better manage stormwater runoff and prevent contamination of the Great Lakes.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Shri Thanedar".

Shri Thanedar
Member of Congress