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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Wastewater Collection - CSO30 Discharge Reduction (Wilmington, DE) in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The funding would be used for pipeline construction to help manage sewer water discharge. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will protect the public health of a community deemed low income and help their sewer infrastructure withstand the impacts of increment weather.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 566 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1992, as amended, 33 U.S. Code Chapter 36.

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

Sincerely,

LISA BLUNT ROCHESTER Member of Congress