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

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding in Fiscal Year 2023 for the "Survey of PFAS and Co-Contaminants in Delaware Groundwater" project at the University of Delaware. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Delaware located at 62 The Green, Newark, Delaware 19716.

The funding would be used to collect and analyze samples collected from deep wells that draw water from confined aquifers, which have not previously been tested for PFAS chemicals. This work would fill a critical gap in Delaware's ability to provide clean drinking water to its residents and would also build new relationships between Delaware's universities and state agencies.

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

Sincerely,

LISA BLUNT ROCHESTER Member of Congress