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Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
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The Honorable Kay Granger  
Chairwoman  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Little Mill Creek Stream Restoration project in Fiscal Year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the New Castle County Public Works Department, located at 187A Old Churchmans Road, New Castle, DE 19720. The funding would be used to construct approximately 2,000 feet of stream restoration and floodplain stabilization. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because Little Mill Creek is subject to flooding, adversely impacting private property and public infrastructure in the surrounding neighborhood of over 2,000 residents. In addition, the project will benefit commercial properties and the Wilmington VA Medical Center, which is downstream of the work area.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 219(f)(314) of the Water Resources Development Act of 1992.

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 "Lisa Blunt Rochester".

LISA BLUNT ROCHESTER  
Member of Congress