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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515-2403**

April 29, 2022

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
Committee of Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee of Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
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Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the WWTF Upgrade and Sewer Rehab/Replacement project through the State and Tribal Assistance Grants (STAG) account within the Environmental Protection Agency in fiscal year 2023.

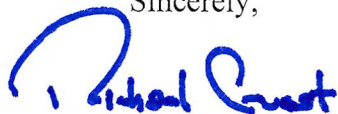
The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Pelahatchie, which is located at 705 Second Street, Pelahatchie, Mississippi, 39145.

The funding would be used to update the Town's wastewater treatment facility (WWTF) to comply with new State limits imposed on the facility. The proposed WWTF upgrades consist of installing at least four biological filter and appurtenances, installing a backup power generator, removing biosolids from existing lagoon cells, installing additional aerators to the existing lagoon cells, rehabilitating two inactive lagoon cells, and improving slopes and roads throughout the facility. The proposed upgrades to the Town's collection system include replacing and upgrading wet wells, piping, valves, controls, SCADA, and pumps. The project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because these investments would provide needed upgrades that are significant for the region's industrial commerce, the Town's citizens, and the health and safety of downstream users.

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

Thank you for your consideration of this request. Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,



Michael Guest  
Member of Congress

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