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May 1, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
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U.S. House of Representatives
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

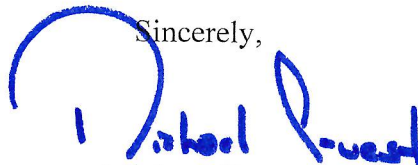
I am requesting funding for the Cornerstone Tank and Distribution Project in Brandon, Mississippi, in Fiscal Year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Brandon located at 1000 Municipal Drive, P.O. Box 1225, Brandon, Mississippi, 39042. The funding would provide for a new elevated storage tank, ensuring safe and reliable drinking water for residents by providing another source of water and a loop to the existing water system. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the increased water supply capacity would improve resilience against water scarcity and fluctuating demand, ensuring the City can meet current and future needs effectively and comply with Federal drinking water regulations as Brandon experiences population growth.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

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

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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