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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chair Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Adams County Pipeline Project in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Adams County Board of Commissioners, located at 215 North Cross Street; Suite 101, West Union, Ohio, 45693.

The funding would be used to construct a gas line south from Hillsboro to Winchester to meet the needs of the community. There is no natural gas service to the business parks along SR 32 in Winchester, Seaman, and Peebles. The new pipeline would allow each of these to more effectively market available properties to developers looking to build commercial or industrial facilities in the region. Without utilities to the business and industrial parks these sites sit vacant and do nothing to contribute to Adams County's economic recovery. This gas line is vital for Adams County's future.

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

Sincerely,

Brad R. Wenstrup, D.P.M.

Member of Congress