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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C., 20515

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Winchester Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvements Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Winchester, OH, located at 24 W. Washington St., PO Box 156, Winchester, OH 45697.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project will expand the Village of Winchester's Wastewater Treatment Plant to service the northern portion of Adams County. The regional wastewater treatment plant will address the Findings and Orders from the Ohio EPA regarding the failing septic systems in the unincorporated area of Cherry Fork. In addition, the Wastewater Treatment Plant will service the Village of Winchester and the currently unserved area along State Road 32. Upgrading the plant will benefit all property owners in the area by discharging a quality effluent into the creeks and rivers.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C 1381 et seq.

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 "Brad R. Wenstrup".

Brad R. Wenstrup, D.P.M.
Member of Congress