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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Lockwood & Heather Lane Drainage Improvements in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Norwalk, located at 125 East Avenue, Norwalk, Connecticut 06851.

The funding would be used for the separation of the known combined sanitary and storm system and drainage improvements. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the disconnection of the current combined sanitary/storm system will reduce the discharge of pollutants into the water and mitigate hazardous flooding conditions in the area. While this project is not on the State's current Intended Use Plan, the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection has stated that the project would be eligible for placement on the IUP.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 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 black ink, appearing to read "Jim Himes", written over a white background.

JIM HIMES
Member of Congress

