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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$1,449,360 for the Anna Sewer I&I Project in Anna, IL in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Anna, located at 103 Market St., Anna, IL 62906.

The proposed project aims to rehabilitate the wastewater system in the city. A nominal rainfall causes the city to experience flooding of raw sewerage due to excessive amounts of inflow and the infiltration of storm water into their wastewater collection system. The rehabilitation of the manhole structures would resolve the flooding and the proposed project would include manhole rehabilitation to the existing brick structures, as well as rehabilitation of some of the older and structurally compromised concrete structures. This project would eliminate all remaining brick manhole structures within the system, as well as repair the oldest and poorest quality concrete structures.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to have the following benefits. The City of Anna is actively seeking project funding for essential improvements to their existing sewage system that provides sanitary sewer services to over 4,000 residents. This upgrade to the system would greatly reduce the amount of excess water and debris that is currently flowing into the sewer system. The funding for this project would allow the City of Anna to repair a significant percentage of the compromised manholes in their sewer system. Receiving grant funding would allow Anna to continue to improve its wastewater treatment service to the community. This system provides quality sewage treatment to the entire City of Anna.

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

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

Sincerely,



Mike Bost
Member of Congress