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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-305, the Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for wastewater sewer relocations along Highway US-69 in Johnson County, Kansas, in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Johnson County Wastewater located at 11811 S. Sunset Drive, Suite 2500, Olathe, Kansas, 66061. The funding would be used to relocate, adjust, modify, and/or protect some sanitary sewers along Highway US-69 from W. 103rd Street to W. 151st Street and the W. 167th Street interchange. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it is being necessitated by the Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) US-69 Modernization and Expansion (US-69 Express) Project to improve the federal, state, and local roadways within the area of Highway 69 from W 103rd Street to W 151st Street and the W 167th Street interchange. The project will address safety and congestion issues that have been identified along Highway US 69 for the past 25 years.

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,

Sharice L. Davids Member of Congress