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March 24, 2023

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

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
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The Honorable Mike Simpson
Chairman
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and Related Agencies
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The Honorable Chellie Pingree
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairwoman Granger, Ranking Member DeLauro, Chair Simpson, and Ranking Member Pingree:

As you begin crafting the fiscal year 2024 (FY24) Interior and Environment appropriations bill, I respectfully request $79.160 Million in FY24 funding for the Brazosport Water Authority Waterline to Angleton. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Brazosport Water Authority, located at 1251 FM 2004, Lake Jackson, Texas, 77566.

The funding would be used for a critically needed 11.6-mile waterline from the water treatment plant into the City of Angleton to support community and economic sustainability and resilient growth.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because access to clean potable water is one of the most underestimated assets to assure the sustainability and resilience of communities (especially in rural areas). It is the singlemost critical resource for nurturing and promoting both economic and community growth within rural areas.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in 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.

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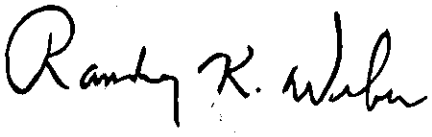
Sincerely,



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