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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
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May 10, 2024

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 funding for the Red River Authority Truscott Gilliland Water System Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Red River Authority of Texas, located at P.O. Box 240 Wichita Falls, Texas 76307. The funding would be used to meet regulatory compliance for pressure and storage for the Red River Authority Truscott Gilliland Water System, including upgrading the Pump Station with new piping, electrical equipment, control work, a generator quick connect, and pumps to meet the gallons per minute pumping requirements, and a new ground storage tank, and a new standpipe tank for pressure maintenance in the system. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will allow for the necessary repairs and replacement of aging rural water systems that are decaying, causing outages for consumers, causing leaks and increased rates to deal with water loss and updates to the infrastructure.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Ronny L. Jackson
Member of Congress