

Congress of the United States
Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
United States House of Representatives
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Hughesville Sewer System in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Charles County, Maryland, located at 200 Baltimore St., La Plata, MD 20646.

The funding would be used for design and construction of a centralized sewer collection system for the Hughesville Village core, including approximately 25,000 linear feet of gravity sewer lines, approximately 3 new sewage pumping stations, and all associated infrastructure. The scope of the full project includes all aspects of engineering design, permitting, land acquisition, and construction for the central sewer collection and treatment system to serve the village consistent with the Hughesville Village Revitalization Plan and the Hughesville Water and Sewer Feasibility Study. This funding request would support engineering costs specifically.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it has a goal of maintaining the health safety and welfare of the community to avoid septic system failures and invests in the local business economy.

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 yours,



STENY H. HOYER
MEMBER OF CONGRESS