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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$3,798,600 in funding for the installation of a 750,000-gallon elevated storage tank in Hurst, Texas near the southeast corner of West Pipeline Road and Mary Drive on city property.

The funding will be used to relieve pressure in the South pressure plane where the City only has one existing elevated storage tank. The proposed second tank will allow for one elevated storage tank to always be in service when the other tank is taken down for repair or repainting. This additional elevated storage volume will help the City meet the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality's regulations for 100 gallons elevated storage per existing water connection and will also help the City meet the increased water demands from redevelopment occurring along West Pipeline Road and State Highway 10. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would allow the public water system to be more resilient during electrical power outages, high use periods, or tank repainting.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 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,



Beth Van Duyne
Member of Congress