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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
2422 Rayburn Building  
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March 19, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-305, The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth HOB  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the City of Mountain Home Wastewater Collection System Upgrade Project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity receiving funding for this project is the City of Mountain Home, Arkansas, located at 736-1600 Highway 201 North, Mountain Home, Arkansas 72653. The funding would be used to replace approximately 3,575 linear feet of deteriorating sanitary sewer main, install new manholes, and improve service connections to increase system reliability and capacity. The funding would update the existing sewer infrastructure, which is currently undersized, aging, and at risk of sanitary sewer overflows, service disruptions, and regulatory noncompliance. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the infrastructure serves one of the largest employment centers in North Central Arkansas, which employs approximately 1,200 workers and will protect the long-term economic stability of the surrounding region.

This project has a federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C 1381 et seq. Specifically, it's an approved project under subsection (c) (4) and (5).

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

Sincerely,



Rep. Eric A. "Rick" Crawford (AR-01)  
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