

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-1406

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-310, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for West College Corner/College Corner Water Infrastructure Improvements Project. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of West College Corner located at 403 Liberty Ave, West College Corner, IN 47003. The funding would be used to fund upgrades for the more than 80-year-old water distribution system including the water mains, valves, and hydrants.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the existing water system, given its age and lack of upgrades over the decades, has experienced numerous water main breaks and valve and hydrant failures. This project will improve water system reliability for consumption and fire protection; will provide improved water circulation, quality and redundancy to residents and consumers; and will rehabilitate the existing elevated water tower with protective coating to ensure a safe and reliable supply of water to the community.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is 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,



Jefferson Shreve
Member of Congress