Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20510

May 10, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth HOB Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Darrington Drinking Water Infrastructure Expansion - Darrington, WA project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Darrington.

The funding of \$1,006,763 would be used for drinking water infrastructure expansion for the Town of Darrington, WA. The Town needs additional infrastructure to bring a new well online and connected to the rest of the water distribution system. The funds will be used to design and construct an iron water main with 8 low/moderate income residential service hookups. This new water line will replace the failing current system and move the existing water lines from private land to town easements. The funds will also be used to design and construct a concrete well protection enclosure with electrical and communications infrastructure to securely house the well pump and all necessary parts to successfully operate the town water system.

This project has a Federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Kim Schrier, M.D. Member of Congress