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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC

March 20, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-305, U.S. 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 \$4,384,542.00 of funding for the Town of Cicero Lead Line Replacement project in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Cicero, located at 4949 W Cermak Road, Cicero, IL 60804. The funding would be used to replace lead service lines as a critical step toward eliminating potential exposure to lead in drinking water and improving the overall reliability of the community's water system. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will address the risks associated with aging water infrastructure while prioritizing the health and safety of its residents.

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,



Jesús G. "Chuy" García
Member of Congress
Illinois' 4th Congressional District