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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations,
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations,
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Plumber to People/Laterals to People project in Fiscal Year 27. The entity to receive funding for this project is the San Antonio Water System, located at 2800 US Hwy 281 N, San Antonio Texas 78212. The funding will be used to repair water leaks in residential homes throughout San Antonio. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will conserve water, and lower water bills for San Antonians who cannot afford to fix water leaks in their house.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,



Joaquin Castro
Member of Congress