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The Honorable Mike Simpson Chairman Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies U. S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Chellie Pingree
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chairman Simpson and Ranking Member Pingree:

I am requesting funding for North Lee County Raw Water Transmission Pipeline in Fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is Lee County, located at 2200 2nd St. Fort Myers, FL 33901. The funding would connect five production wells in North Fort Myers to the North Lee County RO Water Treatment Plant. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because clean water is vitally important to my district and the expanded facility will help meet water demand while maintaining reliable water capacity in my district.

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,

Byron Donalds Member of Congress