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House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-0539

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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman 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 Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Advanced Metering Infrastructure Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is East Orange County Water District, located at 185 N McPherson Rd, Orange, CA, 92869.

The funding would be used to install new advanced water meters at every retail property in the East Orange County Water District service area. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project will provide some relief to the imported water supplies and benefit the entire State as well as Federal interests in California. 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,

Young Kim

Member of Congress