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May 7, 2024

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

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for The University Heights Manhole Separation Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of University Heights, Ohio, located at 2300 Warrensville Center Road University Heights, OH 44118.

The funding would be used to create separate trenches for the City of University Heights' storm and sanitary sewers. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will allow the city to maintain the sewers without having to remove the steel plate between them which over time has caused displacement and cracking of the plates leading to sewer overflow, backup, and flooding.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by the Clean Water Act relating to Collector Sewers, Sewer Pipes, Storm Water Management, and Combined Sewer Overflow.

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

Sincerely,

Shontel M. Brown
Member of Congress