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Ranking Member  
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Town of Porter Waterline Improvement Project in Fiscal Year 2024. The entity to receive this funding is the Town of Porter, located at 3265 Cheek Rd, Youngstown, NY, 14174. The funding would be used to replace 14,700 linear feet of water lines, which are subject to line breaks and low water pressure. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the replacement of outdated water infrastructure with newer infrastructure is necessary for the protection of public health and safety.

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,



Brian Higgins  
Member of Congress