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

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Wood Haven Technology Park Water Service Extension in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Roanoke County, Virginia with offices located at 5204 Bernard Drive, Roanoke, VA 24018.

Wood Haven Technology Park is a 110-acre property that is well-situated geographically – near Interstates 81 and 581. The advantageous location, however, has created a limiting situation for access to water infrastructure. This project would increase the water supply to the park, maximizing available capacity while simultaneously providing safety benefits by increasing the amount of water available for fire flow.

It is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars since the project will enhance available utility capacity, enhance the property's speed to market, and contribute to economic benefits for the entire Roanoke Region. This property has the potential to result in significant capital investment and the creation of high-wage employment.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Morgan Griffith".

H. Morgan Griffith
Member of Congress