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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Trimont Water Infrastructure Improvements in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Trimont, MN, located at 41 2nd Ave SW, Trimont, MN 56176.

The funding would enable the City of Trimont to replace its existing mechanical wastewater plant with a three-cell wastewater stabilization pond system, along with addressing other critical sanitary sewer collection system and water distribution system needs.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because Trimont's residents and businesses face significant challenges due to an outdated mechanical wastewater treatment plant, which poses risks to public health and limits economic growth opportunities. These improvements will provide long-term benefits that extend beyond their municipal boundaries and positively impact the entire region.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. 1381 et seq.

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

Sincerely,



Brad Finstad
Member of Congress