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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Las Virgenes-Triunfo Joint Powers Authority Advanced Water Purification Facility Brine Line in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Las Virgenes-Triunfo Joint Powers Authority, located at 4232 Las Virgenes Road, Calabasas, CA 91302.

The funding would be used for a pipeline that will convey salty concentrate generated during the advanced water purification process at the Advanced Water Purification Facility (AWPF) in Agoura Hills to Calleguas Municipal Water District's regional Salinity Management Pipeline system in Camarillo. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it directly implements federal Clean Water Act requirements, prevents future violations and penalties, safeguards federally regulated waters, and enables a drought-resilient local water supply that reduces pressure on statewide and interstate water systems — all while using an existing permitted ocean outfall rather than constructing new coastal discharge infrastructure.. 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Julia Brownley".

JULIA BROWNLEY
Member of Congress