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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20510

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

I am requesting funding for the Foxborough PFAS Treatment Plant in Fiscal Year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Foxborough, located at 70 Elm Street, Foxborough, MA, 02035.

The funding would be used for the construction of the first of three proposed PFAS water treatment plants and will be installed in series with the Town's newest Green Sand Filter Plant. The PFAS water treatment plant will include two pairs of 12-ft diameter, 40,000-pound Granular Activated Carbon (GAC) PFAS treatment vessels. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will ensure Foxborough is able to meet the newest drinking water standards and protect communities from exposure to harmful PFAS.

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,

JAKE AUCHINCLOSS

Member of Congress