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The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

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

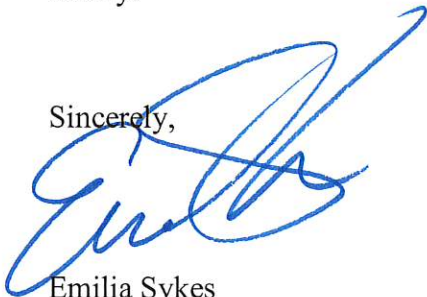
I am requesting \$5 million in funding for the Peninsula Sanitary Sewer Collection and Treatment Facilities project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Village of Peninsula located at 1582 Main St, Peninsula, OH 44264. The funding would be used to construct sanitary sewer facilities in the Village of Peninsula, which is located right in the middle of the Cuyahoga Valley National Park (CVNP).

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the project will provide important environmental, health and safety benefits for the residents and businesses of Peninsula, as well as those 2.9 million annual visitors to the Cuyahoga Valley National Park.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in 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,



Emilia Sykes  
Member of Congress