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May 2, 2025

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

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

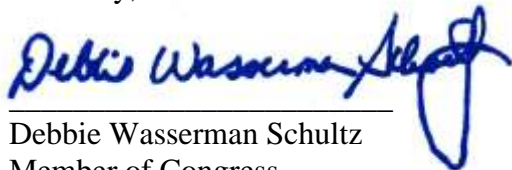
I am requesting funding for I am requesting funding for Hallandale Beach Water Main Rehabilitation Project: NE 7th Street in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Hallandale Beach, located at 400 S. Federal Highway, Hallandale Beach, FL 33009. The funding would be used to his project replaces existing aging infrastructure with a new water distribution system to provide reliable potable water, improved fire hydrant coverage and expanded water services. This is a high priority project based on the recommendations outlined in the City's Basis of Design Report (BODR) and 10-Year Water Supply Plan.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the citizens of City of Hallandale Beach will benefit greatly from using taxpayer dollars to help offset the cost of this critical infrastructure project for the water utility included in the City's CIP Plan. Currently, the City is limited in possible funding sources – this may include funding from utility revenue bonds at higher interest rates over the next 30 years due to current market conditions. The funding of this project from federal funds would have a direct impact on future water rates for the utility system and therefore would lower the utility bills of our residents.

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,


Debbie Wasserman Schultz
Member of Congress