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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
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Subcommittee on Transportation, and Housing
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The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies United States House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

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Dear Chairman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Bristol Waterfront Park and Maple Beach Road Bridge Improvements Project in the upcoming Transportation, Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill. The entity to receive funding for this community project is Bristol Borough, located at 250 Pond Street, Bristol, PA 19007. Bristol Borough proposes to construct improvements to the Waterfront Park and the Maple Beach Road Bridge. The project is located at 92 Maple Beach Road, Bristol, PA 19007. The project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it improves safety, functionality, and access to the Bristol Waterfront Park and Maple Beach Road Bridge. The reconstruction of the Maple Beach Bridge over Otter Creek will allow visitors to fully enjoy the entire length of the Marsh, provide recreation opportunities in Maple Beach, and offer direct access to the Wastewater Treatment Plant for Borough employees. With additional funding, the Borough will also be able to update the Waterfront Park stormwater conveyance system, which is in serious need of upgrades to alleviate flooding from large storms and high tides. Lastly, necessary updates to the outdated park lighting will improve safety and visibility for patrons of the park.

I certify that neither my immediate family nor I have any financial interest in this project. Thank you for your consideration and attention to this request.

Sincerely,

Brian Fitzpatrick

Member of Congress

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