

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives

March 24, 2023

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Heritage Park Phase I - Storm Water Flume Restoration Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Hope Mills, North Carolina located at 5770 Rockfish Road Hope Mills, NC 28348. The funding would be used to convert their flume to a stormwater control measure that will treat the new impervious surfaces constructed in the park needed to address flooding and stormwater management.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the proposed stormwater management feature promotes the sustainability of clean water through a uniquely designed drainage system that actively filters toxins present in stormwater before they enter the nearby creek. This will ensure the community is protected from these toxins and will mitigate flooding.

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,



David Rouzer  
Member of Congress