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March 31, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
U.S. House Appropriations Committee
1026 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
U.S. House Appropriations Committee
2358 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of University City Detention Basin Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The funding would be used for construction.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it would support the construction of an 8-acre detention basin in Overland Woodson Road Park. The detention basin would assist in lowering the instances of severe flooding in University City, Overland, and other downstream communities, which would mean the reduced injuries and death, property damage, economic losses, and environmental impacts.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 219(f) of the Water Resources Development Act of 1992 (Public Law 102-580).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

CORI BUSH
Member of Congress