

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-2205

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

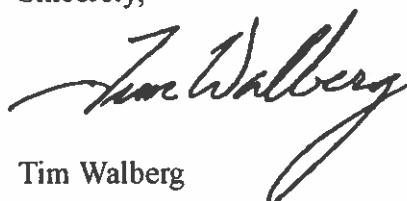
I am requesting funding for Village of Homer Main Street Transmission Line Water Main Replacement Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Homer, located at 130 East Main Street, Homer, MI, 49245. The funding would be used for replacing over 2,000 ft. of watermain, water service replacement, boring and jacking of watermain under M-60 providing critical redundancy to the north half of the Village, and associated roadway restoration and replacement.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because replacement is important to the water system reliability and security servicing the entire village of 1688 residents.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,



Tim Walberg
Member of Congress