

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-2703

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

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

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Village of Clatonia Well Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Clatonia located at PO Box 82 Clatonia. The funding would be used to establish a new well for the Village. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it is critical to ensuring reliable drinking water access for the community by replacing the deteriorating backup well which has been deemed unsanitary. The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Adrian Smith
Member of Congress