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April 29, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chairwoman
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting \$1,397,091 in funding for an automated meter readers for the City of Seminole, Oklahoma in Fiscal Year 2023. This project is located at 401 N Main, Seminole, Oklahoma 74868.

The funding would be used to replace manual meter readers that are over 25 years old and must be manually inspected each month. As meters age they are less likely to read correctly which has cost the City of Seminole thousands of dollars in lost revenue.

Additionally, the manufacturer of their current manual readers has notified the city that they will no longer be producing manual readers so it will become increasingly difficult and more expensive to repair the manual readers over time.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Stephanie Bice
Member of Congress