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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the *Port of Shelton Sewer Expansion* project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Port of Shelton, located at 21 W Sanderson Way, Shelton, WA 98584.

The funding would be used to extend public sanitary sewer service to areas of the City of Shelton UGA to serve undeveloped properties, existing developments with failing septic systems, and to provide additional capacity to the Port of Shelton for its Sanderson Field Industrial Complex. This project also allows for planned community developments to utilize the highest density available due to the ability to hook to the sanitary sewer system. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it addresses threats to public health and the environment by allowing the discontinued use of the failing systems. This project also allows for planned community developments to utilize the highest density available due to the ability to hook to the sanitary sewer system.

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,



Derek Kilmer
Member of Congress