## Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-3902

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting \$1,500,000 for the Johnston Flood Mitigation and Development of Woodland Park Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Johnston, located at 1385 Hartford Avenue, Johnston, Rhode Island 02919. The funding would be used to relocate a public park in order to allow the Town to perform flood mitigation by creating a retention pond at the current site. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it simultaneously addresses flooding risks to the community and provides enhanced community-building opportunities for residents.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2) and 5305(a)(4).

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

Sincerely,

Seth Magaziner Member of Congress

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