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May 2, 2025

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Town of Chebeague Island Stone Wharf project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Chebeague Island, located at:

Town of Chebeague Island
192 North Road
Chebeague Island, ME 04017

The funding would be used to improve the Town of Chebeague Island's Stone Wharf, making its use safer and more resilient. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will help to mitigate the impact of high tide and storm surges on the road and parking areas, allowing more reliable use for emergency services, children traveling to school, and residents' general access to the mainland.

This project has a federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a).

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

Sincerely,

Chellie Pingree
Member of Congress