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Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Saco Water Resource Resiliency Project in Fiscal Year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is:

City of Saco  
300 Main Street  
Saco, ME, 04072

The funding would be used to support the Headworks Phase of the Saco Water Resource Resiliency Project that will make the headworks resilient to the effects of sea-level rise, intensifying wet weather events, and climate change impacts. Saco's existing headworks structure was built more than 50 years ago at low-lying elevation and has been flooded several times, most recently during an October 2021 storm. To address this and other indicated concerns, Saco plans to construct the new headworks at an elevation that accounts for additional sea-level rise.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chellie R".

Chellie Pingree  
Member of Congress