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The Hon. Rosa L. DeLauro Chairwoman House Committee on Appropriations H-307, the Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Hon. Kay Granger Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

As you draft fiscal year 2023 appropriations legislation, I write to request consideration of the following Community Project Funding request submitted to my office:

• City of Sun Prairie, WI Water Pollution Control Facility Solar Radiation Project

o **Amount:** \$3.2 million

Recipient: City of Sun Prairie, WI
 Address: 3040 Bailey Road

Sun Prairie, WI 53590

o **Purpose:** This project will increase the energy efficiency and sustainability

of the Sun Prairie, WI Water Pollution Control Facility. The construction of a modern greenhouse system utilizing solar radiation to help separate water from the sludge will improve the quality of bio-product to a Class A biosolid, the first-of-its-kind innovation in the State of Wisconsin. The annual need for the use of fossil fuels in the existing drying system (reliant on the use of natural gas) will be dramatically reduced, and the overall volume and mass of biosolids created that need to be removed from the

system will be reduced as well.

I thank you for your full and fair consideration of this request. I certify neither I, nor my immediate family, have any financial interest in this Community Project Funding request, and I have made it publicly available on my website at the following address: https://pocan.house.gov/community-and-member-designated-project-requests. Please do not hesitate to contact me anytime with any

questions or concerns, and your staff may contact David Bagby of my staff at (202) 225-2906 or david.bagby@mail.house.gov.

Sincerely,

Mark Pocan

Member of Congress