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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC 20515**

May 3, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Viola Well Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Viola, Wisconsin. The funding would be used to construct a well on the south side of the Kickapoo River to provide a reliable water supply to meet current and future demands and it will make the Village more resilient to natural disasters by having water supply on each side of the river.

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)(2).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "D. Van Orden".

Derrick Van Orden  
Member of Congress