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The Honorable Mark Amodei
Chairman, Subcommittee on Homeland Security
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Henry Cuellar
Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Homeland Security
House Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Amodei and Ranking Member Cuellar:

As you begin crafting the fiscal year 2027 Homeland Security appropriations bill, I respectfully request that you give consideration to the following funding priorities:

1. Provide a funding level of \$2,282,907 for the City of North Port Water Control Structure 114 Replacement Project. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of North Port, located at 4970 City Hall Blvd., North Port, FL 34286. The funding would be used for the replacement of an essential water control structure with an updated and more resilient structure for floodwater hazard mitigation. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the current structure is deteriorating and in need of replacement, and is at risk of failure which would pose a significant risk of catastrophic flooding to the surrounding communities if it were not replaced.

Sincerely,

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