The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro  
Chair  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
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April 27, 2021

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Waltham Embassy Parking Lot Project in fiscal year 2022 appropriations.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Waltham, located at 610 Main Street, Waltham, Massachusetts 02452.

The funding would be used for detailed engineering designs and construction of a green infrastructure retrofit of the Embassy Parking Lot in Waltham. This retrofit design, which includes the installation of small, strategically located bioretention areas and infiltration trenches, will improve aesthetics, reduce the phosphorus load by 50%, and improve the quality of stormwater discharging into the Charles River in a cost-effective way. This project will serve as an example of next generation parking lot design for the City of Waltham and every other community in the Charles River watershed.

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

Sincerely,

Katherine M. Clark  
Member of Congress  
April 27, 2021