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COMPETITION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES  
AND THE CHINESE COMMUNIST PARTY**

May 2, 2025

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the City of Tempe Kyrene Recharge Well pipelines in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Tempe, located at 31 E 5th St., Tempe, AZ 85281.

The funding would be used for the second phase of pipeline construction to deliver reclaimed water from the Kyrene Reclamation Facilities to recharge wells. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the wells will increase the amount of water stored in aquifers. Tempe is a growing city, and this water storage will allow water supplies to meet the city's needs. This treatment of wastewater is an alternative source that enhances water security, sustainability and resilience.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Title VI of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C 1381 et seq.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Greg Stanton".

Greg Stanton  
Member of Congress