Project Name:
Wastewater Treatment Plant and Water Reuse System

Recipient:
City of Ada

Address:
231 S. Townsend Ave, Ada, OK 74820

Amount Requested:
$400,000

Project Explanation:
This is an expansion of Ada’s existing water treatment plant and the addition of a water-reuse system. The purpose of this project is to create more resiliency to Ada’s infrastructure system that serves over 17k people and to create the capacity for new economic and residential growth in the community. As the current water treatment plant is aging and unable to accommodate significant system growth, the City of Ada has identified new opportunities to modernize the plant through an expansion of treatment systems and reduce the demand on an aquifer-sourced water supply through a re-use system that will supply commercial and industrial business demands for water-based fire suppression, cooling, and site-use.

This project is designed to support community & economic growth to build a more sustainable water system. Ada, OK is particularly concerned with maintaining a good supply of water as it is wholly reliant on a sole-source aquifer, the Arbuckle-Simpson Aquifer. This will begin the process of reducing pressure on the aquifer through the development of water reuse.
April 26, 2022

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the expansion of a wastewater treatment plant and water reuse system in Ada, Oklahoma in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Ada located at 231 S. Townsend Ave., Ada, OK 74820. The funding would be used for the modernization and expansion of the existing wastewater treatment plant in order to reduce demand on an aquifer-sourced water supply through a reuse system.

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

Sincerely,

TOM COLE
Member of Congress