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Honorable George W. Crockett, Jr.
1531 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Congressman Crockett:

I am sorry I was unable to meet with you in person during my visit to Washington on September 10, 1986. However, I appreciated the opportunity to discuss the Clean Water Act with your legislative aide, Tony Carter.

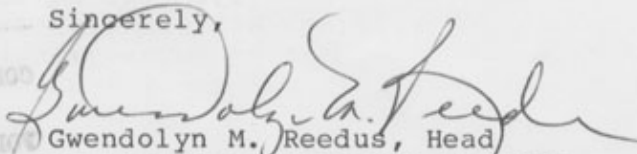
As you are aware, the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department (DWSD) is concerned about reauthorization of the Act. Your support of the House version of the Bill has been helpful. Your continued support in urging action by the Conference committee members is critically needed.

In my discussion with Mr. Carter, I indicated that funding to complete Detroit's Wastewater Treatment projects is in jeopardy. Of particular concern is Pump Station No. 2A. The projected cost for this grant is \$62 million. This project will be needed to make the East Arm Interceptor operational. The Interceptor was constructed three years ago at a cost of nearly \$100 million.

DWSD is currently involved in discussions with the Michigan Department of Natural Resources in attempting to have the Pump Station Federally funded at 75 percent (grandfathered). Future assistance from your office may be necessary should we encounter problems in the funding level for this vital project.

Again thank you for your support.

Sincerely,


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