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**Congress of the United States**  
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**Washington, DC 20515**

March 3, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting **\$3,000,000** in funding for the **Town of Charlestown Stormwater Management Improvement Project** in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Charlestown, Maryland located at 241 Market Street, Charlestown, MD 21914. The purpose of this funding is to support the execution of 2 stormwater management projects that the Town has previously conducted design and planning work for.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will improve the management of and slow stormwater runoff that currently contributes lots of silt into the North East River. This project has a federal nexus because it is for the purposes authorized in Section 306 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act, 7 U.S. Code section 1926(a)(2).

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Andy Harris, M.D." in a cursive style.

Andy Harris, M.D.  
Member of Congress