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To The Administrative Board of the Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer District 407 County Office Building Rochester, New York 14614

Subject:

Increase and Improvement of Facilities in the Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer District Entitled

"GCOSD - General Collection System Improvements" Project; Amend the 2025 Capital

Budget to Add the Project; and Authorize an Interfund Transfer

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that the Administrative Board of the Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer District approve a request to establish an Increase and Improvement of Facilities in the Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer District (the "District") in the amount of \$350,000, consisting of a capital project entitled "GCOSD - General Collection System Improvements;" amend the 2025 Capital Budget to add the project; and authorize an interfund transfer.

The total Increase and Improvements of Facilities in the District is comprised of the "GCOSD - General Collection System Improvements" project (\$350,000) and the "GCOSD - GCO Pump Station Improvements" project (\$1,000,000) for a total estimated cost of the Increase and Improvement in the amount of \$1,350,000. The "GCOSD - GCO Pump Station Improvements" project is under consideration by Your Honorable Body as a companion referral.

This Increase and Improvement of Facilities is necessary to provide funding for the "GCOSD - General Collection System Improvements Project." This project includes general improvements to various pump stations and collection system infrastructure including enhancement to appurtenant communication and data transmission systems. The project is necessary to maintain the reliability and continuity of services to District customers. The estimated cost of the improvements is \$350,000, which shall be provided as cash capital.

Portions of the project may become eligible for financing through the New York State Water Pollution Control Revolving Loan Fund. It is therefore requested that the County have the ability to submit applications and take any necessary steps to utilize this financing vehicle if it becomes available.

The specific Administrative Board action required is to submit a request to the Monroe County Legislature to approve an Increase and Improvement of Facilities in the Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer District consisting of a capital project entitled "GCOSD - General Collection System Improvements," at an estimated cost of \$350,000; amend the 2025 Capital Budget to add the project; and authorize an interfund transfer.

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This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(1) ("maintenance or repair involving no substantial changes in an existing structure or facility") and (2) ("replacement, rehabilitation or reconstruction of a structure or facility, in kind, on the same site, including upgrading buildings to meet building, energy, or fire codes unless such action meets or exceeds any of the thresholds in section 617.4 of this Part") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this project, consistent with authorized uses, will be available in capital fund 1923 and any capital fund(s) created for the same intended purpose. The local funding for this project will ultimately be provided by District user fees. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter receive favorable action by the Administrative Board of the Gates-Chili-Ogden Sewer District.

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