



March 4, 2026

The Honorable John Fetterman
U.S. Senate
Philadelphia District Office
200 Chestnut Street, Suite 600
Philadelphia, PA 19106

**RE: Kennett Area Park Authority – WaterWorks Revitalization
FY 27 Community Project Funding/Congressionally Directed Spending — Support Letter**

Dear Senator Fetterman:

On behalf of Kennett Township, I am once again seeking your support for the Kennett Area Park Authority's (KAPA) WaterWorks Revitalization project located at Anson B. Nixon Park.

Anson B. Nixon Park encompasses 110 acres that provide protected open space and recreational amenities for residents and visitors in the Kennett Square Area. The park features two ponds and over three miles of hiking and walking trails that connect to the Kennett Greenway, as well as playground areas and community space that attract over 170,000 visitors each year. Revitalization efforts will transform the historic WaterWorks buildings on site to create new office space and a boardroom for KAPA, a catering kitchen and picnic pavilion, and indoor and outdoor classrooms and exhibit space for education and learning activities. Additional amenities include a picnic pavilion, a public plaza with a splashpad, and restrooms. KAPA's ongoing community-focused initiatives provide integral opportunities to some of Chester County's most disadvantaged and historically marginalized communities. This project is an extension of those efforts.

With a portion of the Park located in our township, we are proud to pledge our continued support of this project and respectfully request your advocacy regarding this funding request.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Alison S. Dobbins
Kennett Township Manager



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The Honorable Dave McCormick
U.S. Senate
Philadelphia District Office
2000 Market Street, Suite 610
Philadelphia, PA, 19103

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The Honorable Chrissy Houlahan
U.S. House of Representatives
West Chester District Office
709 East Gay Street, Suite 4
West Chester, PA 19380

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