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The Honorable Shaun Donovan  
Director  
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Dear Assistant Secretary Donovan and Director Donovan,

I want to express my appreciation to you and your staff for supporting full funding for the Delaware River Main Channel Deepening. The \$33 million that the Administration proposed in its budget would move the project toward completion by its target date in 2017.

As you know, this project is very important to the continued prosperity of the Delaware River regional economy, which includes communities in Delaware, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania. Full funding for the project will help ensure that the necessary resources are provided to deepen the entire channel from 42 feet to 45 feet.

Thank you for the great work you and your staff have put in to help ensure the President's budget reflects the spending priorities needed to reduce the deficit while laying out a vision for how we can continue to drive economic growth through projects like the deepening of the Delaware River Main Channel.

Sincerely,

  
John C. Carney, Jr.  
United States Representative