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League of Conservation Voters * Natural Resources Defense Council * Sierra Club**

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Dear Senator / Representative:

It has been more than two years since the beginning of the lead water crisis in Flint, yet Flint residents still cannot turn on their taps without worrying about lead exposure. No amount of lead exposure is safe, yet thousands of people in Flint, including up to 12,000 children, have been exposed to lead in their water and the problem is far from over. There are many people in Flint who don't have the ability to get out of the house every day and pick up the heavy cases of water needed to wash their children, wash their food and to drink.

We urge the Congress to act now. Enough time has been lost to political calculation. The undersigned groups and their millions of members believe that Congress needs to include the Flint funding package in the Continuing Resolution that is currently being finalized. The people of Flint have waited far too long.

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