

**Financial Services
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FY 2009
House Bill/Report**



The 110th Congress
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

June 5, 2008

Chairman David Obey
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Ranking Member Jerry Lewis
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey & Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Remote Campus and Distance Learning project for Jacksonville State University in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Jacksonville State University, 700 Pelham Road, Jacksonville, AL 36265. The funding would be used to provide distance learning opportunities for non-traditional students and aiding the creation and preservation of small businesses in the local community. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

Robert B. Aderholt



The 110th Congress
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

March 19, 2008

Chairman David Obey
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Ranking Member Jerry Lewis
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chairman Obey & Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Business Incubator Complex Revitalization Plan in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Bevill State Community College, located at P.O. Box 800, Sumiton, AL 35148. The funding would be used to renovate the complex, as well as expand technology and services at the Business Incubator. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

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Dear Chairman Obey & Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the International Alabama Economic Development in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is International Services Council of Alabama, Inc., located at Room 535, Madison County Courthouse, Huntsville, AL 35801. The funding would be used to assist with the promotion of foreign trade and investment with small businesses in North Alabama. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

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Sincerely,

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

March 17, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Northeast Louisiana Business and Community Development Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is University of Louisiana at Monroe, located at 700 University Avenue, Monroe LA 71209. The funding would be used for sustaining and expanding incubator and community development services to rural Delta with faculty and technology. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Sincerely,

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Rodney Alexander
Member of Congress

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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Greater North Louisiana Community Development Corporation in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Greater North Louisiana Community Development Corporation, located at 103 Fourth Street, Jonesboro LA 71251. The funding would be used to stimulate creation, attraction, retention and expansion of business in North Louisiana and provides access to financial capital. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Baton Rouge, Louisiana Small Business Investment Initiative in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Baton Rouge, located at 222 St. Louis Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70821. The funding would be used for providing financial and management technical assistance to M/WBEs qualifying for private loans. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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March 12, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Buffalo Township Business Accelerator Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Carnegie Mellon University, located at 426 Warner Hall, 5000 Forbes Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15217. The funding would be used for the development of a new business incubator program in Buffalo Township. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jason Altmire".

Jason Altmire
Member of Congress

JASON ALTMIRE
4TH DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA

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March 12, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Tech Belt Biosciences Initiative in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Pittsburgh Life Sciences Greenhouse, located at 100 Technology Drive, Sutie 400, Pittsburgh, PA 15219. The funding would be used for the creation of additional opportunities for the PLSG to move innovative biosciences concepts and technologies to the marketplace. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jason Altmire".

Jason Altmire
Member of Congress

MICHAEL A. ARCURI
24TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the **Manufacturing and Small Business Development project** in the fiscal year 2009 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Cayuga County Industrial Development Authority, located at County Office Building, 5th Floor, 160 Genesee Street, Auburn, NY 13021. The funding would be used to develop Aurelius Business Park in Aurelius, NY, and attract investors to promote the growth of over 275 jobs statewide.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in the project.

If you have any questions, please contact Sylvia Stanojev of my staff at 202-225-3665.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL A. ARCURI
Member of Congress

JOE BACA

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March 19, 2008

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House Appropriations Committee
H-218 U.S. Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the **United States Hispanic Chamber of Commerce** for the fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the United States Hispanic Chamber of Commerce located at 2175 K Street NW Suite 100, Washington, DC 20037. The funding will help support a program of business development designed to enhance the participation of Hispanic, small-disadvantaged, minority, and small business owners in Federal procurement. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

JOE BACA, Congressman
43rd Congressional District

SPENCER BACHUS
6TH DISTRICT, ALABAMA

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March 14, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
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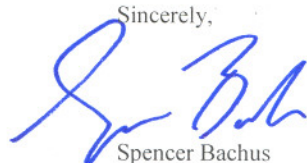
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration (SBA), Salaries and Expenses account for the Alabama Entrepreneurial Resource Network. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Alabama, located at 201 Rose Administration Building, Box 870117, Tuscaloosa, AL 35487. The contact for this project is Joe Benson. He can be reached at 205-348-4566. To the best of my knowledge, the funding would be used to establish entrepreneurial research centers in nine additional rural Alabama counties and to augment the resources of existing centers. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the financial interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Spencer Bachus
Member of Congress

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J. GRESHAM BARRETT
THIRD DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA

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March 19, 2008

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The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY2009 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Bill for the Clemson University Advanced Materials Innovation Center. The entity to receive funding for this project is Clemson University, Clemson, SC 29634. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for developing laboratories at the Advanced Materials Innovation Center. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of my spouse or me.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on Congressionally directed spending, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



J. Gresham Barrett
Member of Congress

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June 10, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Minority and Women Owned Business Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Hagerstown, Office of the City Administrator, Bruce Zimmerman 301-766-4168, located at Hagerstown, Maryland. The funding would be used for salaries and expenses. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Roscoe G. Bartlett
Member of Congress

MELISSA L. BEAN
8TH DISTRICT, ILLINOIS

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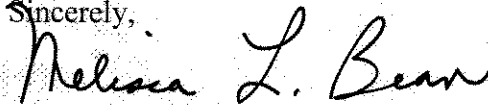
The Honorable José E. Serrano
Chairman
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The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Subcommittee on Financial Services
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Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for Illinois Institute of Technology's Innovating Manufacturing Education Project. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Illinois Institute of Technology located at 10 West 33rd Street, Chicago, Illinois 60616. The funding would be used to complete the pilot project initiated in FY08 to enable small and medium-sized Illinois manufacturers to innovate and adopt sustainable manufacturing products and processes. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Melissa L. Bean
Member of Congress

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XAVIER BECERRA
31ST DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

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ASSISTANT TO THE
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

March 18, 2008

The Honorable José Serrano
Chairman
Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government
B-300 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano:

I am requesting funding for the Small Business Employment & Education Center offered through the Episcopal Housing Alliance in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Episcopal Housing Alliance, which is a 501 c (3), located at 2120-24 W. Seventh Street, Los Angeles, CA 90057. The funding would be used for small business instructional workshops, trainings, and hands-on instruction in the field of food services.

Pursuant to clause 17(a)(5) of Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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XAVIER BECERRA
Member of Congress

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

March 18, 2008

The Honorable José Serrano
Chairman
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Dear Chairman Serrano:

I am requesting funding for Esperanza Community Housing Corporation's Mercado La Paloma in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Esperanza Community Housing Corporation, located at 2337 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, CA 90007. The funding would be used to initiate a small business assistance program to further the sustainability and growth of the Mercado La Paloma.

Pursuant to clause 17(a)(5) of Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


XAVIER BECERRA
Member of Congress

MARION BERRY
1ST DISTRICT, ARKANSAS

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the **Arkansas State University-Newport Commercial Driver Training Institute** in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is **Arkansas State University-Newport**, located at 7648 Victory Boulevard, Newport, Arkansas 72112, for a project located in **Newport, Arkansas**. The funding would be used to **enhance and maintain professional driver training program**. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



MARION BERRY
Member of Congress

ROB BISHOP

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March 18, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration account for the World Trade Center of Utah. The entity to receive funding for this project is the World Trade Center of Utah, 175 East 400 South, Suite 609, Salt Lake City, Utah. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to funds will be used for purposed consistent with the Trade Center's public mission. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds

Sincerely,

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Rob Bishop (UT-01)
Member of Congress

TIMOTHY H. BISHOP
1ST DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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TO COMPLY WITH THE RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
FOR THE 110TH CONGRESS

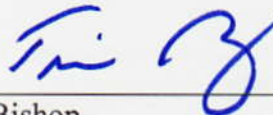
March 18, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Middle Country Library Foundation located at 101 Eastwood Blvd, Centereach, New York. The funding would be used for the Miller Business Resource Center.

Pursuant to the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in such congressional earmark.



Tim Bishop
Member of Congress

Please submit an original copy of this certification to Chairman David R. Obey and Ranking Member Jerry Lewis, House Appropriations Committee, H-218 Majority Office, The Capitol.

SANFORD D. BISHOP, JR.
SECOND DISTRICT, GEORGIA



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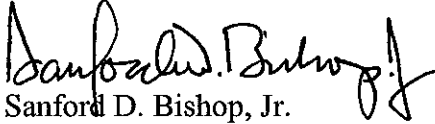
The Honorable David R. Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H218 Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the Heritage Foundation Inc in fiscal year 2009. The organization is located at P.O. Box 2966-Thomasville, Georgia 31792. The purpose of the project is the creation of a small business development program which will provide technical assistance and training to small business owners and aspiring entrepreneurs in Thomasville and the surrounding area. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

With warmest regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,


Sanford D. Bishop, Jr.
Member of Congress

SANFORD D. BISHOP, JR.
SECOND DISTRICT, GEORGIA



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March 3, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H218 Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for Blessings Ministries Community Development Corporation in fiscal year 2009. The organization is located at 2325 Dry Pond Road-Monroe, GA 30656. The purpose of the project is to provide funding to support development of a small business resource assistance program in southwest Georgia. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

With warmest regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sanford D. Bishop, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Sanford D. Bishop, Jr.
Member of Congress

SANFORD D. BISHOP, JR.

SECOND DISTRICT, GEORGIA



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March 3, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H218 Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the Lower Chattahoochee Regional Development Corporation in fiscal year 2009. The organization is located at 1428 Second Avenue; PO Box 1908; Columbus GA 31902. The purpose of the project is the creation of a multi-county (Randolph, Stewart, Clay, Quitman, and Chattahoochee Counties) small business development assistance program for the creation of new small business development for four of Georgia's poorest counties. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

With warmest regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sanford D. Bishop, Jr." The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "B" and "J".

Sanford D. Bishop, Jr.
Member of Congress

SANFORD D. BISHOP, JR.

SECOND DISTRICT, GEORGIA



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March 3, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H218 Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the University of Georgia in fiscal year 2009. The organization is located at 1234 South Lumpkin Street-Athens, GA 30602. The purpose of the project is the initiation of a new program to provide research and technical assistance to select (nine counties) local governments in southwest Georgia on pressing economic and small business development. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

With warmest regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sanford D. Bishop, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Sanford D. Bishop, Jr.
Member of Congress

JOHN BOOZMAN

3RD DISTRICT, ARKANSAS
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ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

March 14, 2008

The Honorable Jose E. Serrano, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Subcommittee on Financial Services and
General Government
Room B-300 Rayburn
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Subcommittee on Financial Services and
General Government
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula,

I am requesting funding for the Arkansas Research and Technology Park in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Arkansas Technology Development Foundation, located at 535 Research Center Blvd., Fayetteville, AR 72701. The funding would be used to develop a new research facility at the Arkansas Research and Technology Park. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



John Boozman
Member of Congress

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March 17, 2008

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INTELLIGENCE, ANALYSIS AND
COUNTERINTELLIGENCE

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-218, U.S. Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the Central Iowa Business Innovation Zone project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Greater Des Moines Partnership, located at 700 Locust Street, Suite 100, Des Moines, Iowa, 50309. The funding would be used for to develop and expand entrepreneurial enterprise. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Leonard L. Boswell
Member of Congress

LB:rm

ALLEN BOYD
SECOND DISTRICT, FLORIDA
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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
House of Representatives
H-218 Capitol Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
House of Representatives
1016 Longworth LHOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the Abscission Chemical/Mechanical Harvesting of Citrus project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is State of Florida, Department of Citrus, P.O. Box 148, Lakeland, Fl. The funding would be used to develop maximize the efficiencies of mechanical harvesting of citrus. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



F. Allen Boyd
MEMBER OF CONGRESS

ROBERT A. BRADY
1ST DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA

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March 18, 2008

The Honorable Jose E. Serrano
Chairman
Subcommittee on Financial Services
and General Government
2129 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Financial Services
and General Government
1016 Longworth Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for People for People Job Creation Initiative for Low income Communities in fiscal year 2009.

The entity to receive funding for this project is People for People located at 800 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19130.

The funding would be used to create 215 new jobs for low-income individuals in the field of food service and event planning. An additional 35 jobs will be created for teachers and administrators. Students will be taught the basics of culinary skills, table waiting, and banquet management. At the same time, they will be taught basic job skills (computer training, resume preparation, etc.) and job hunting skills so that they can take their new culinary talents and turn them into full time employment. In addition, our students will be able to get paid work experience by assisting with the preparation and execution of events hosted by The View.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Robert A. Brady
Member of Congress

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Washington, DC 20515**

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EARMARK DISCLOSURE FORM

Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218 Capitol

I am Requesting Funds for the Following Project in FY2008:

Beaver Street Enterprise Center, Jacksonville, FL

Name and Address of Entity Receiving Funding:

City of Jacksonville
117 W. Duval Street, Suite 400
Jacksonville, FL 32202
904-630-1776

Purpose of Funding:

Business Incubator Program targeting technology based companies in low income neighborhoods

Pursuant to clause 17(a)(5) of Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I hereby certify that neither my spouse (if applicable) nor I has any financial interest in such congressional earmark.



Corrine Brown
Member of Congress

G. K. BUTTERFIELD
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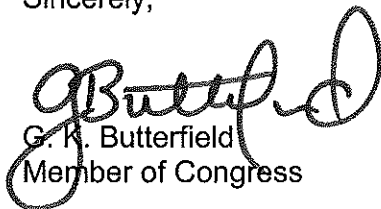
March 13, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Phase II of the Elizabeth City Aviation Research and Development Commerce Park in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Elizabeth City, North Carolina, located at 306 East Colonial Avenue, Elizabeth City, North Carolina 27907. The funding would be used for developing additional industrial sites in the commerce park. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



G. K. Butterfield
Member of Congress

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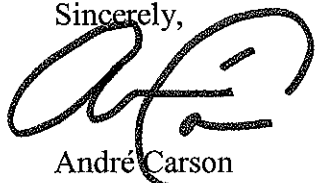
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House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-1407

March 28, 2008

Dear Appropriations Subcommittee on Financial Services:

I am requesting funding for the John Boner Job Training and Small Business Incubator in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is John Boner Community Center, located at 2236 E 10th St. Indianapolis, IN 46201. The funding would be used for job training, with an emphasis on small business development, and would be specifically geared towards low-income individuals in Indianapolis.. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



André Carson
Member of Congress

MICHAEL N. CASTLE

DELAWARE, AT-LARGE

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding in the FY '09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration Salaries and Expenses account, for the Emerging Enterprise Center project. The entity to receive funding for this project is the New Castle County Chamber of Commerce located at 12 Penns Way, New Castle, Delaware 19720. It is my understanding that funding will be used for upgrades to the incubator essential for attracting companies and reaching full capacity; constructing walls and office doors and 4,000 square feet of lab space; purchasing furniture for offices and conference room and audio/visual equipment; and funding initial salaries and operating costs. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Michael N. Castle
Member of Congress

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-1806

June 10, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for East Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Small Business Initiative in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is East Baton Rouge Parish, located at 222 St. Louis Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70821. The funding would be used for technical assistance with the Small Business Initiative. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Donald J. Cazayoux
Member of Congress

BEN CHANDLER
MEMBER OF CONGRESS
SIXTH DISTRICT, KENTUCKY

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Congress of the United States
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March 14, 2008

Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for Energy Efficient Enterprises Initiative for Small Businesses in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the MACED located at 433 Chestnut Street, Berea, Kentucky 40403. The funding would be used for a program to encourage energy efficiency businesses. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interests in this project.

Sincerely,

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Ben Chandler
Member of Congress

YVETTE D. CLARKE
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March 14, 2008

Chairman Jose Serrano
Room B-300 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano:

I am requesting funding for the Downstate Advanced Biotechnology Incubator in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Research Foundation of SUNY, located at 450 Clarkson Ave, Box 129, Brooklyn, NY 11203. The funding would be used for expanding the medical school's biotechnology business incubator facility. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Yvette D. Clarke
Member of Congress

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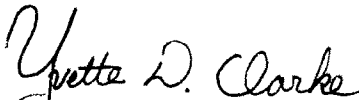
March 14, 2008

Chairman Jose Serrano
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Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano:

I am requesting funding for the Expand Career Services Programs in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Metropolitan Council on Jewish Poverty, located at 80 Maiden Ln, 21st Floor, New York, NY 10038. The funding would be used for expanding career services programs across New York City. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


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Member of Congress

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March 17, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Commercialization and Entrepreneurial Training Project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is EngenuitySC, located at 1201 Main Street, Suite 250, Columbia, South Carolina, 29201. The funding would be used for indentifying companies to commercialize research underway at the University of South Carolina's research campus. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


James E. Clyburn
Member of Congress

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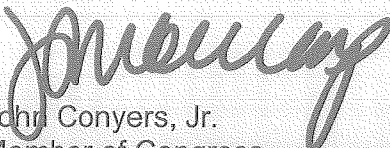
March 11, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Detroit Renaissance: The Detroit Creative Business Accelerator in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Detroit Renaissance, located at Detroit Renaissance 600 Renaissance Center, Suite 1760 Detroit, MI 48243-1802 . The funding would be used for . The Accelerator will provide an array of important programs and support services including business counseling, mentoring, and training services, networking opportunities, and access to seed funding for creative entrepreneurs and businesses. It will also serve as a gathering place for creative workers and will help spur development along the corridor. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


John Conyers, Jr.
Member of Congress

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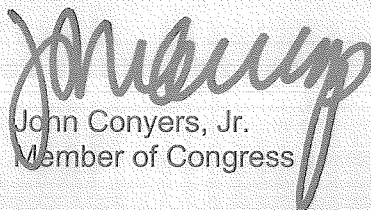
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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for United Way for Southeastern Michigan Ex-Offender Entrepreneurship Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is United Way for Southeastern Michigan, located at 1212 Griswold Detroit, MI 48226. The funding would be used for funding to help ex-offenders in the 14th Congressional District of Michigan become self employed. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



John Conyers, Jr.
Member of Congress

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Joe Courtney
Congress of the United States

2nd District, Connecticut

March 12, 2008

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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Small Business Incubation in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Chamber of Commerce of Eastern Connecticut, Inc., located at 39 Kings Highway, Gales Ferry, CT 06335. The funding would be used for office space for small business startups. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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JOE COURTNEY
Member of Congress

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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Avery Point Technology Incubation Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Connecticut, located at 1376 Storrs Road, Storrs, CT 06269. The funding would be used for business incubator facilities. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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JOE COURTNEY
Member of Congress

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration (SBA), Salaries and Expenses for the International Services Council of Alabama. The entity to receive funding for this project is International Services Council of Alabama, Inc, located at the Madison County Courthouse, Room 535, Huntsville, AL 35801.

The funding would be used for staffing, equipment and supplies of a program that that hosts foreign visitors and promotes Alabama as an economic partner in the world.

I certify that this project does not have a direct effect on my financial interests.

Sincerely,

Bud Cramer
Member of Congress

BUD CRAMER

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, District of Columbia, Office of the Chief Financial Officer for the National Children's Alliance (DC). The entity to receive funding for this project is National Children's Alliance, located at 516 C Street, NE, Washington DC 20002.

The funding would be used for facility procurement and renovations to the National Children's Alliance in Washington, DC.

I certify that this project does not have a direct effect on my financial interests.

Sincerely,

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Bud Cramer
Member of Congress

BUD CRAMER

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March 20, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration (SBA), Salaries and Expenses for the Hudson Alpha Institute for Biotechnology. The entity to receive funding for this project is Hudson Alpha Institute for Biotechnology, located at 601 Genome Way, Huntsville, AL 35806.

To the best of my knowledge, the funding would be used for continued construction funding.

I certify that this project does not have a direct effect on my financial interests.

Sincerely,

Bud Cramer
Member of Congress



UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Ready4Work in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is **Operation New Hope**, located at 1830 North Main Street Jacksonville, Florida 32206. The funding would be used for Ready4Work's prisoner re-entry project. Through meeting the needs of the small to medium business owner, the Ready4Work program strategically trains and matches up qualified ex-offenders who meet the specific needs of small business employers.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest (defined as a direct and foreseeable effect on our pecuniary interests) in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

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Ander Crenshaw
Member of Congress

JOSEPH CROWLEY
7TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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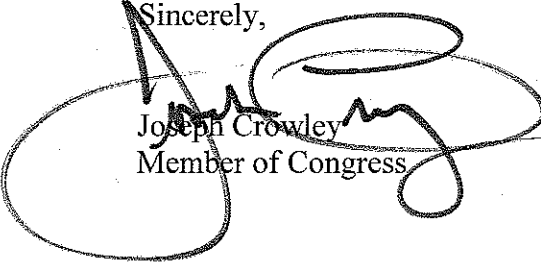
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the New York Agency for Community Affairs in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is New York Agency for Community Affairs, located at 2-4 Nevins Street, 2nd Floor, Brooklyn, NY 11217. The funding would be used for tax related technical assistance, training, and outreach for small businesses. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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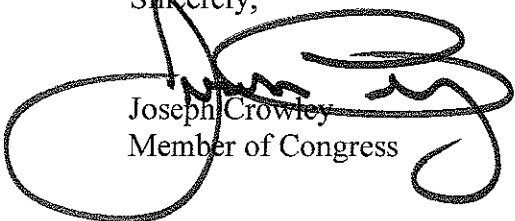
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Consortium for Worker Education (CWE) in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is CWE, located at 275 7th Avenue New York, NY 10001. The funding would be used for their Worker Service Center Program. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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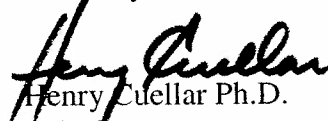
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1016 Longworth House Office Building.
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Laredo Community College Import and Export Program in fiscal year 2008. The entity to receive funding for this project is Laredo Community College, located at 5500 South Zapata Highway in Laredo, Texas, 78045.

The funding would be used to expand and further develop the small business import and export program at Laredo Community College. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Henry Cuellar Ph.D.
U.S. Congressman
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H-218 U.S. Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the **Fairfield Incubator for Entrepreneurs Commercial Kitchen Incubator** in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Fairfield Alabama, located at 4701 Gary Avenue Fairfield, AL 35064. The funding would be used for first phase of the City of Fairfield's design and development (in cooperation with Lawson State Community College and Miles College) of a mixed use Business Incubator. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Artur Davis
Member of Congress

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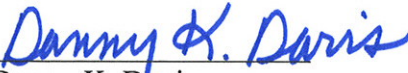
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for minority owned business program in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project the Northwestern University, located at 603 Clark Street, Evanston, Illinois, 60208. The funding would be used to expand the next ONE program that brings African American Entrepreneurs to the Kellogg School for an executive management program. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Danny K. Davis
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding to provide job training for former foster youth in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Uhlich Children's Advantage Network, located at 3737 North Mozart Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60618. The funding would be used to provide job training for former foster youth. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Danny K. Davis
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth H.O.B.
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Act for The Center for Regional Health Sciences and Health Care Management. The entity to receive funding for this project is Thomas More College, located at 333 Thomas More Parkway, Crestview Hills, Kentucky 41017. The funding would be used for continued faculty development, job training, workforce development and operating costs of programs at the Center to create a more qualified workforce in the business aspects of health care management. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress, (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



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March 17, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for construction of the San Diego, California courthouse annex in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the General Services Administration (GSA), located at 1800 F Street NW, Washington, DC 20405 for construction of the courthouse in San Diego. The funding would be used for additional funding to complete the San Diego, California courthouse construction project. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Susan A. Davis
Member of Congress

TOM DAVIS

11TH DISTRICT, VIRGINIA

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March 14, 2008

The Honorable José Serrano
Chairman
Subcommittee on Financial Services
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The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Financial Services
1016 Longworth H.O.B.
Washington D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, District of Columbia, Office of the Chief Financial Officer account. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Boys and Girls Club of Greater Washington, located at 1300 Forest Glen Road, Silver Spring, Maryland. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to assist with efforts to the implementation of Project Learn: The Educational Enhancement Program. The funding will also support activities in character and leadership development, education and career development, the arts, health and life skills and other programs to educate disadvantaged youth served by the BGCWG. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Tom Davis
Member of Congress

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I am requesting funding for the University of Oregon Integrative Science Complex Phase II in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Oregon Office of the Vice President of Research located at 203 Johnson Hall, Eugene, Oregon 97403. The funding would be used to provide specialized laboratories and classrooms, as well as major research instrumentation and research laboratories for magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) and other brain imaging technologies, genomics and proteomics, microscopy and chemical analysis, and advanced computation. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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"I am requesting funding for the Avery Point Technology Incubation Center in fiscal year 2009. The University of Connecticut, located at 1084 Shennecossett Road in Groton, CT 06340, will receive funds for this work. The funding will be used as part of a five year efforts to expand business incubation facilities in UConn's Avery Point campus. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project."

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Rosa L. DeLauro
Member of Congress

CHARLES W. DENT

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15TH DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA

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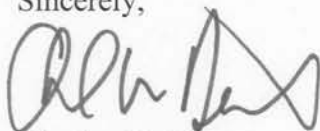
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Northampton Community College-Electrotechnology Applications Center (ETAC) in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Northampton Community College, located at 3835 Green Pond Road, Bethlehem, PA 18020. The funding would be used to continue the Center's small business program which helps manufacturers reduce green house gas (GHG), volatile organic compound (VOC), and hazardous air pollutant (HAP) emissions. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on Congressionally Directed Projects, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the project; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this project be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Charles W. Dent
Member of Congress

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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

Pursuant to Rule XXIII of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I am submitting a disclosure form for a project affecting my Congressional District.

I am requesting funding for the William Factory Small Business Incubator in fiscal year 2009, located at 1423 E 29th Street, Tacoma, WA 98404.

The funding would be used to assist in the development of a facility to house technical and scientific services start-ups. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

NORM DICKS
Member of Congress

JOHN D. DINGELL
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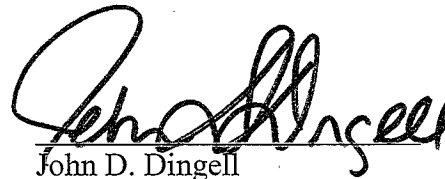
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March 18, 2008

I am requesting funding for the Wayne County, Michigan Aerotropolis Telecommunications Portal and Logistics Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Charter County of Wayne, MI, located at 600 Randolph Detroit, MI 48226. The funding would be used for the development of a state-of-the-art telecommunications portal facility housing a joint public/private telecommunications incubator in Wayne County's Aerotropolis. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.



John D. Dingell
Member of Congress

JOHN D. DINGELL
15TH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

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March 18, 2008

I am requesting funding for the United Way for Southeastern Michigan Ex-Offender Entrepreneurship Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the United Way for Southeastern Michigan, located at 1212 Griswold, Detroit, MI 48226. The funding would be used to provide training classes in the areas of goal-setting, small business management, building a business on the internet, business marketing, credit education, franchise possibilities, selling and customer service for ex-offenders. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.



John D. Dingell
Member of Congress

JOE DONNELLY
2ND DISTRICT, INDIANA

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March 12, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a women's entrepreneurship program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Saint Mary's College, located at Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana 46556. The funding would be used for the establishment of the Saint Mary's College Program for Women's Entrepreneurship on campus to provide assistance to women entrepreneurs. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Joe Donnelly
Member of Congress

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March 16, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Tech Belt Biosciences Initiative in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Pittsburgh Life Sciences Greenhouse, located at 100 Technology Drive, Suite 400 Pittsburgh, PA 15219. The funding would be used for Funding will go towards opportunities for the PLSG to move innovative biosciences concepts and technologies to the marketplace through its Concept to Commercialization Model. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Michael F. Doyle
Member of Congress

DAVID DREIER
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Republican
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1016 Longworth HOB
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government appropriations bill, under the Small Business Administration Salaries and Expenses account for the Fairplex Trade and Conference Center. The entity to receive funding for this project is Fairplex, located at 1101 West McKinley Avenue, Pomona, CA 91768. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for the ongoing construction of the Trade and Conference Center. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on my pecuniary interests.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

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David Dreier

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March 14, 2008

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The Honorable Dave Obey
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
Room H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515


The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Pellissippi Research Centre on the Oak Ridge Corridor in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Alcoa, located at 223 Associates Boulevard, Alcoa, TN 37701. The funding would be used for developing community infrastructure. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,


John J. Duncan, Jr.
Member of Congress

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1016 Longworth HOB
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March 14, 2008

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for a workforce development and training program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Baylor University at One Bear Place #97310, Waco, TX 76798-7310. The funding would be used to purchase equipment for a new workforce development and training program as part of the Baylor Advanced Research Institute. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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March 14, 2008

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Hispanic business development in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Heart of Texas Workforce Development Center, at 300 Franklin Avenue Waco, TX 76701. The funding would be used to translate brochures, guides, and workshops into Spanish, and do outreach to assist Hispanic-owned businesses. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


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March 13, 2007

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 29515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the construction of a business development center in the fiscal year 2009 Financial Services Appropriations bill. The entity to receive funding for this project is Indiana State University located at 200 North Seventh Street, Terre Haute, IN 47809. The funding would be used by the Terre Haute Innovation Alliance Business Incubator and Accelerator to expand its ability to create businesses and foster economic development opportunities throughout West-Central Indiana. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

If you have any questions, please contact Brian Connell of my staff at 202-225-4636.

Sincerely,

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Brad Ellsworth
Member of Congress

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March 16, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Uhlich Children's Advantage Network Alumni Services Department in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Uhlich Children's Advantage Network, located at 3737 N. Mozart Street, Chicago, IL 60618. The funding would be used for job training, placement and retention services to low/moderate income young adults in Chicago. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Rahm Emanuel
Member of Congress

JO ANN EMERSON
MEMBER OF CONGRESS
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for SEMO University Entrepreneurship Training / Workforce Development in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill for the Small Business Administration, Salaries and Expenses account for Southeast Missouri State University. The entity to receive funding for this project is Southeast Missouri State University at One University Plaza, Cape Girardeau, Missouri 63701. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for activities conducted by economic and workforce development specialists. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



JO ANN EMERSON
Member of Congress

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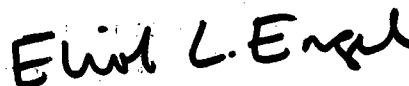
July 8, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218 U.S. Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the Entrepreneurial Assistance Program in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the African American Chamber of Commerce of Westchester and Rockland Counties, located at 100 Stevens Avenue, Suite 202, Mount Vernon, NY 10550. The funding would be used for technical, legal, accounting, and referral service to participating existing and start up small businesses in Westchester and Rockland Counties. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Eliot L. Engel
Member of Congress

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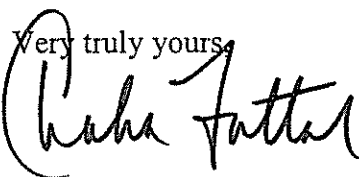
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Ralph Regula, R.M.
House Appropriations Subcommittee
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Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for District of Columbia Student Support Services Project (DCSSP) project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project out of the District of Columbia, Chief Financial Officer's Pass-Through account is the Educational Advancement Alliance (EAA), located at 4601 Market Street, Suite 310, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19139. The funding would be used to provide students attending charter schools in the District of Columbia with support services designed to address academic deficiencies, improve student skill levels in the areas of Mathematics, Science, and Technology, and increase high school graduation and college admission rates of its participants by fostering a climate supportive of their successes.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Very truly yours,

Chaka Fattah
Member of Congress

BOB FILNER
51ST DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

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March 12, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the San Ysidro Land Port of Entry in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the General Services Administration, located at 1800 F Street, NW, Room 6105, Washington, DC 20405. The funding would be used for construction of the new San Ysidro Land Port of Entry. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Bob Filner', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

BOB FILNER
Member of Congress

BF/sw
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BOB FILNER
51ST DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

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March 12, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the San Diego, CA courthouse project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the General Services Administration located at 1800 F Street, NW, Room 6105, Washington, DC 20405. The funding would be used for construction of the federal courthouse. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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Member of Congress

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JIM GERLACH
6TH DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable José E. Serrano, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government
Room B-300 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington DC 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, for Delaware County Community College's Small Business Solution Center. The entity to receive funding for this project is Delaware County Community College, 901 South Media Line Road, Media, Pennsylvania. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to continue the Center's operations as well as expand its programs. Specifically, the Center will develop and deliver a series of entrepreneurial programs for students enrolled in DCCC's trade programs (i.e., plumbing, electrical, carpentry, HVAC, automotive technology, and welding) since these students have consistently asked for more training in starting their own small businesses. ***I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.***

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Jim Gerlach
Member of Congress

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March 13, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Pima County Entrepreneurial Education and Development project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Pima County Community College, located at 4905 East Broadway Blvd., Tucson, AZ 85709-1010. The funding would be used for developing and delivering entrepreneurial education and training to existing small business owners and entrepreneurial start-ups. Outreach will target rural areas of Pima County and underserved populations. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Gabrielle Giffords
Member of Congress

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March 13, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Cochise County Entrepreneurial Education and Development project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Cochise County Community College, located at 901 N. Colombo Avenue, Sierra Vista, AZ 85635. The funding would be used for providing comprehensive entrepreneurship educational programs that provide small business entrepreneurs with skills to create new businesses or expand existing enterprises, particularly targeted at rural area of Cochise County and underserved populations. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Gabrielle Giffords
Member of Congress

KIRSTEN E. GILLIBRAND
20TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE



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March 15, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Watervliet Innovation Center Business Development Project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Center for Economic Growth, Watervliet Innovation Center, located at 63 State Street Albany, NY 12207. The funding would be used for promotion of job growth and economic development by assisting emerging technology businesses in the Capital Region of New York. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kirsten E. Gillibrand".

Kirsten E. Gillibrand
Member of Congress

KIRSTEN E. GILLIBRAND
20TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

HOUSE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE

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March 15, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Renovation of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is National Archives and Records Administration, located at 4079 Albany Post Road Hyde Park, NY 12514. The funding would be used for critical repairs to the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library located at the Roosevelt National Historic Site in Hyde Park, NY. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kirsten E. Gillibrand".

Kirsten E. Gillibrand
Member of Congress

CHARLES A. GONZALEZ

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March 17, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the UTSA Mexico Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Texas at San Antonio, located at 501 W. Durango Blvd., San Antonio, TX 78207. The funding would be used for activities of the Mexico Center which, through cross-disciplinary cooperation, collaborates with other organizations in Mexico and the United States to develop joint research projects and generate bilingual dialogue regarding the impact an influx of immigrants has on the economic development of U.S. communities. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Charles A. Gonzalez
Member of Congress

CHARLES A. GONZALEZ

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March 17, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Accelerating Technology Venture Entrepreneurship for Women and Minorities in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Texas at San Antonio, located at One UTSA Circle, San Antonio, TX 78249. The funding would be used for the Center for Innovation and Technology Entrepreneurship (CITE) to create a regional means for women and minorities to combine their college and university education with experiences in technology entrepreneurship that lead to the incubation and launch of new technology-based globally competitive businesses. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Charles A. Gonzalez
Member of Congress

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-4605

March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
Chairman
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H-218 The Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth House Office Bldg.
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the County of Henry, Virginia in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the County of Henry, Virginia located at Kings Mountain Road, Collinsville, VA 24078. The funding would be used for small business expansion and development of an industrial site. I certify that this funding would not have a direct and foreseeable impact on the pecuniary interest of me or my spouse.

To the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress, (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark, and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. Should this request receive funding, I intend to place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing, to the best of my knowledge, how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal funds.

Sincerely yours,



Virgil H. Goode, Jr.

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
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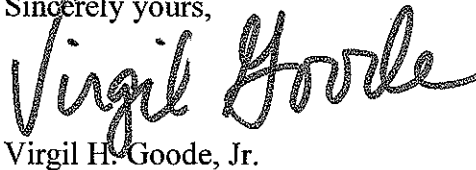
The Honorable Jerry Lewis
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1016 Longworth House Office Bldg.
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Linear High-Speed Tire Test Machine Facility in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Future of the Piedmont Foundation located at Post Office Box 54, Chatham, VA 24531. The funding would be used for an experimental facility for high-speed tire and automotive testing as part of a comprehensive economic development policy. I certify that this funding would not have a direct and foreseeable impact on the pecuniary interest of me or my spouse.

To the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress, (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark, and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. Should this request receive funding, I intend to place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing, to the best of my knowledge, how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal funds.

Sincerely yours,



Virgil H. Goode, Jr.

JOHN J. HALL
19TH DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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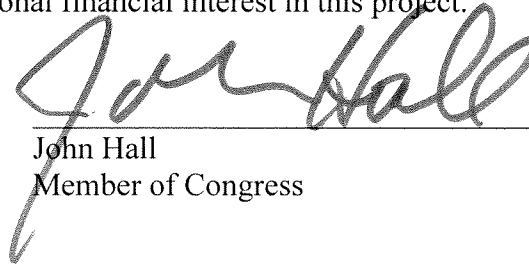
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
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Dear Chairman Obey and Congressman Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Hudson Valley Agricultural Viability Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Hudson Valley AgriBusiness Development Corporation at 610 State Street, Hudson, NY 12534. The funding would be used to be more responsive to the needs of agricultural producers and agribusinesses within the Hudson Valley by providing necessary, critical support for business technical assistance to enhance the bottom line of farms, and a revolving loan fund to strengthen the agricultural industry as a whole. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any personal financial interest in this project.



John Hall
Member of Congress

ALCEE L. HASTINGS
23RD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
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March 11, 2008

The Honorable José E. Serrano
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Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government
Room B-300 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Republican
Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government
Room B-300 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano and Representative Regula:

As the Subcommittee prepares the Fiscal Year 2009 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, I write to notify you that I am requesting funding for the following project and entity:

Project Title: Business Resource Center and Business Development Training
Entity: City of Lauderdale Lakes, Florida
4300 NW 36th St.
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319

This funding would be used for:

Implementation of a business development training program at the new library in Lauderdale Lake, Florida.

I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project. As I am single, any disclosure requirements regarding a spouse are non-applicable.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Alcee L. Hastings".

Alcee L. Hastings
Member of Congress

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March 11, 2008

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The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
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H-218, The Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration, Salaries and Expenses account for the Charlotte Mecklenburg Housing Partnership. The entity to receive funding for this project is Charlotte Mecklenburg Housing Partnership located at 4601 Charlotte Park Drive, Suite 350, Charlotte, NC, 28217. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to expand opportunities for local and regional small business. The City of Charlotte has recently adopted a policy requiring Small Business Enterprise to be included in all contracts with the City. Since this is a relatively new program and requires certification of those businesses by the City, CMHP is now working to recruit certified SBEs and/or help small contractors to be certified. The Housing Partnership (CMHP) seeks to increase the number and percentage of Small Business Enterprises and Minority Women Business Enterprises (SBE/MWBE) bidding and working on its future contracts. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program named or will be named after a sitting Member of Congress (2) is not intended for a "front" or "pass through" entity; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robin Hayes".

Robin Hayes
Member of Congress

DEAN HELLER

2ND DISTRICT, NEVADA

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June 5, 2008

Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
Washington DC 20515

Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration account for the Western Nevada Development District. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Western Nevada Development District at 704 West Nye Lane, Suite 201 in Carson City, Nevada. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to assist in job creation efforts. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Conference's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Thank you for your consideration of this important project, and please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



DEAN HELLER

Member of Congress

BRIAN HIGGINS
27TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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March 17, 2008

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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

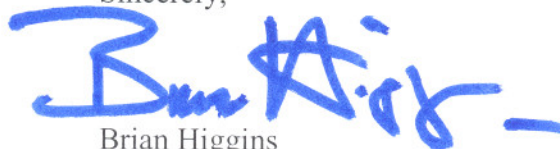
Pursuant to Clause 9 of Rule XXI and Clause 17 of Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I am providing the following certification for a requested earmark herein.

I am requesting funding for the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus for business development in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus, 701 Ellicott Street, Suite 401, Buffalo, New York 14203. The funding would be used to acquire, develop, and equip space for laboratory, production, and/or office uses to attract small and medium-sized commercial enterprises.

Pursuant to clause 17(a)(5) of Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I hereby certify that neither my spouse nor I has any financial interest in this congressional earmark.

If you have any questions or you require any additional information, please call me or have your staff contact Matthew Fery of my office at 202-225-3306. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Brian Higgins
Member of Congress

BARON P. HILL
9TH DISTRICT, INDIANA

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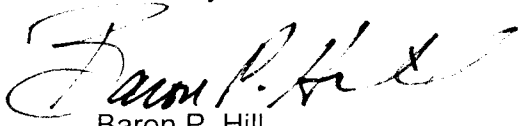
March 14, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Indiana Innovative Incubator in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Indiana University, located at Bryan Hall 200, Bloomington, IN 47405. The funding would be used for purchase of state-of-the-art equipment needs at the new incubator facility. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Baron P. Hill
Member of Congress

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
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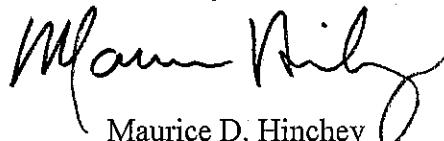
The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Low Income Entrepreneurial Development Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Gateway to Entrepreneurial Tomorrows, Inc., located at 309 Main Street; Poughkeepsie, NY 12602. The funding would be used for providing free assistance to minorities and low-income individuals to gain self sufficiency through entrepreneurship. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you for your consideration of my request. Best regards.

Sincerely,



Maurice D. Hinchey
Member of Congress

CC: Honorable José E. Serrano, Chairman, Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government
Honorable Ralph Regula, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government

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March 16, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
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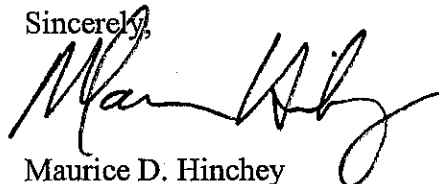
The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for The Solar Energy Consortium: Increasing Production of Solar Energy in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Solar Energy Consortium, located at 434 Old Neighborhood Road; Kingston, NY, 12401. The funding would be used for teaming up with other industries to increase the production of solar energy and to promote entrepreneurship in the solar energy industry. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you for your consideration of my request. Best regards.

Sincerely,



Maurice D. Hinchey
Member of Congress

CC: Honorable José E. Serrano, Chairman, Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government
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March 14, 2008

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration account for the Ohio Christian University Center for Logistics Management. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Ohio Christian University at 1476 Lancaster Pike, Circleville, OH 43113. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to establish the Ohio Christian University Center for Logistics Management, construct a 20,000 square-foot facility to house the Center, purchase hardware and software to run realistic simulations of logistical situations, hire new faculty and staff, and develop curriculum. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program named or will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended for a "front" or "pass through" entity; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

DAVID L. HOBSON
Member of Congress

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March 14, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
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Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the **Vested for Growth program** in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the New Hampshire Community Loan Fund, located at 7 Wall Street, Concord, New Hampshire 03301. The funding would be used to ensure long-term growth and success for small businesses and their employees in the state by providing quality jobs through business investment and pre-development loans to help companies that require more assistance to become growth ready. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Levine of my staff at 603-223-9814 or Lisa.Levine@mail.house.gov. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Paul W. Hodes
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2007

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The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Member
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I, Congressman Tim Holden, am requesting funding for the Highridge Business Park Phase II in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Schuylkill Economic Development Corporation (SEDCO), located at:

91 S. Progress Ave.
Pottsville, PA 17901

The funding would be used for SEDCO's development of the next phase of expansion, including legal, site investigation, and engineering. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Tim Holden
Member of Congress

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Congress of the United States House of Representatives

March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Silicon Valley Small Business Assistance Portal in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of San Jose, located at San Jose City Hall, 200 East Santa Clara Street, San Jose, CA 95113. The funding would be used for expanding and enhancing a "one-stop" web-based tool integrating 40 local public, private, and non-profit partners for business planning, financial resources, regulatory and technical assistance services to small businesses in Silicon Valley. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Michael M. Honda
Member of Congress

DARLENE HOOLEY
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March 19, 2008

The Honorable Jose E. Serrano
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Dear Chairman Serrano:

I am requesting funding for the University of Oregon in fiscal year 2009.

The entity to receive funding for this project is:

University of Oregon
Office of the Vice President of Research
Eugene, OR 97403

The funding would be used to help the University of Oregon fund the technological aspects of the Integrative Science Complex, Phase 2 building. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

DARLENE HOOLEY
Member of Congress

STENY H. HOYER
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March 19, 2008

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H-218, The Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
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1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Consolidation Project at White Oak, Maryland in the Fiscal Year 2009 Financial Services Appropriations bill. The entity receiving funding for this project is the General Services Administration, located at 1800 F Street, NW, Washington, DC 20405. The funding would be used to construct critical anti-bioterrorism laboratories/office space. I certify that I do not have any financial interests in this project.

If you have any questions, please contact my staff at 202-225-4131.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steny Hoyer".

STENY H HOYER

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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Capital Area Food Bank in the Fiscal Year 2009 Financial Services Appropriations bill. The entity receiving funding for this project is the Capital Area Food Bank, located at 645 Taylor Street, NE, Washington, DC 20017. The funding would be used to construct a new building. I certify that I do not have any financial interests in this project.

If you have any questions, please contact my staff at 202-225-4131.

With kindest regards, I am

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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the BARC/ TEDCO Business Innovation Center in the Fiscal Year 2009 Financial Services Appropriations bill. The entity receiving funding for this project is Maryland Technology Development Corporation (TEDCO), located at 5565 Sterrett Place, Suite 214, Columbia, MD 21044. These funds will be used to launch and operate a Beltsville Business Innovation Center and to encourage technology transfer and commercialization, and business incubation. I certify that I do not have any financial interests in this project.

If you have any questions, please contact my staff at 202-225-4131.

With kindest regards, I am

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
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1016 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Excel Institute's Automotive Workforce Development Training Program in the Fiscal Year 2009 Financial Services Appropriations bill. The entity receiving funding for this project is the Excel Institute, located at 2851 V Street, NE, Washington, DC 20018. The funding would be used to generate opportunities for the community by providing scholarships for vocational training in the field of automotive technology for at-risk youth and adults. I certify that I do not have any financial interests in this project.

If you have any questions, please contact my staff at 202-225-4131.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

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March 13, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
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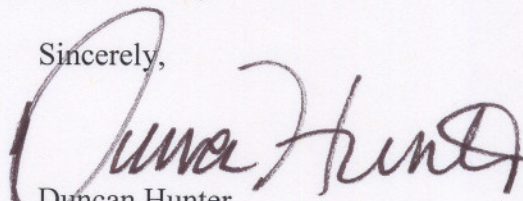
Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am respectfully requesting funding for the San Diego, California courthouse construction project for Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the General Services Administration, located at 1800 F Street, NW, Washington, DC 20405. The funding will be used to build a new annex to the federal courthouse in San Diego. I certify that neither I, nor my spouse, have any financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy of earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request: 1. is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; 2. is not intended to be used by any entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and 3. meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Thank you for your consideration. If you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Sincerely,


Duncan Hunter
Member of Congress

DH/lmb



House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

BOB INGLIS
4TH DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA

March 14, 2008

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The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
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H-218 U.S. Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Upstate Advanced Technology Campus Regional Robotics Center- Building 1 project in the FY2009 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Act. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Union, with the Mayor's office at P.O. Box 987, 101 Sharpe Avenue, Union, South Carolina 29379. The funding would be used to build a facility for world-class robotics training that would serve manufacturing facilities in the surrounding counties. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Best Regards,

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Member of Congress

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March 24, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a Long Island Small Business Development Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Long Island Economic and Social Policy Institute, a division of Dowling College, located at Idle Hour Blvd, Oakdale, NY 11769. The funding would be used for the purposes of educating and assisting Long Island, NY small businesses on economic development, workforce job training, employee housing challenges, local alternative energy solutions, as well as and credit challenges resulting from the sub-prime mortgage crisis. . I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Steve Israel". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Steve Israel
Member of Congress

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March 18, 2008

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The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, General Services Administration, Federal Buildings Fund account for the General Services Administration to construct Courthouse, San Diego, CA. The entity to receive funding for this project is the General Services Administration at 1800 F Street, NW, Washington, DC 20405. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to continue construction of the federal courthouse in San Diego, CA. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Darrell Issa".

Darrell Issa
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
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House Appropriations Committee
H-218 The Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a small business project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Olympia Fields, located at 20040 Governors Highway, Olympia Fields, Illinois, 60461. The funding would be used to develop a comprehensive economic development marketing plan to combat "retail redlining" in four south suburbs of Chicago. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you in advance for your time. If you have any questions, please contact my office.

Sincerely,



Jesse L. Jackson, Jr.
Member of Congress

Congress of the United States
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1016 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a small business project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the YWCA Metropolitan Chicago, located at 360 North Michigan, Suite 800, Chicago, Illinois, 60601. The funding would be used to conduct an economic empowerment program focusing on the financial stability and independence of women in need. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you in advance for your time. If you have any questions, please contact my office.

Sincerely,



Jesse L. Jackson, Jr.
Member of Congress

PAUL E. KANJORSKI
11TH DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA

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The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Financial Services
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1016 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for Northampton Community College's Electrotechnology Applications Center to continue the small business program for fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Northampton Community College 3835 Green Pond Road, Bethlehem, PA 18020. The funding would be used for Northampton Community College's Electrotechnology Applications Center to continue the small business program. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Paul E. Kanjorski
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the University of Toledo Renewable Energy Business Incubator Communication Infrastructure for fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Toledo, located at 2801 W. Bancroft, Toledo, OH 43606-3390. The funding will be used to develop high tech conferencing capability to provide access to training and virtual meeting access for renewable energy entrepreneurs. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marcy Kaptur".

MARCY KAPTUR
U.S. Representative

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
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H-218 The Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the Greater Toledo Arts Commission Creative Industry Development for fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Arts Commission of Greater Toledo, located at 1838 Parkwood Avenue, Suite 120, Toledo, OH 43604. The funding will be used for marketing and development support for local artists and their work. Initiatives include: Toledo ArtSpace 360, a collaboration to build web presence and increase e-marketing and sales opportunities for local and regional artists; Live Work Create Toledo, an effort to attract and retain arts related businesses; and Artists and Creatives Meet and Greets, twice annual gallery events that support local artists and arts-related businesses. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marcy Kaptur".

MARCY KAPTUR
U.S. Representative

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March 14, 2008

The Honorable Jose Serrano
Chairman
Subcommittee on Financial Services
1040A Longworth House Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano

I would like to take this opportunity to request your support for the enclosed Rhode Island priority initiatives as the Subcommittee considers the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations Act. While I recognize the difficult budgetary decisions that the Subcommittee faces, I believe that the following requests from my constituents are worthy of consideration.

- 1) \$200,000 from SBA for the Town of Middletown for their Aquidneck Island Corp Park improvements.**
- 2) \$200,000 from the SBA for the City of East Providence, Green Jobs initiative.**
- 3) \$100,000 from SBA for the RI Manufacturers Institute.**

Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick J. Kennedy".

Patrick J. Kennedy
Member of Congress

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March 14, 2008

Chairman Dave Obey
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Dear Chairman:

I am requesting funding for the Town of Middletown RI Aquidneck Island Corporate park project. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Town of Middletown, 350 East Main Road, Middletown, RI 02842. The funding would be used for an Aquidneck Island Corp Park Improvement project. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick J. Kennedy".

Patrick J. Kennedy

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March 16, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Room H-218, The Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey:

I, Congresswoman Carolyn Cheeks Kilpatrick, am requesting funding for the City of Detroit in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Detroit, located at 2 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, MI 48226. The Detroit Economic Growth Corporation seeks funding to attack the City's economic downturn by expanding DEGC's successful business attraction and retention activities, including marketing and promotion, retention efforts, trade shows and investment seminars. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Dear Chairman Obey:

I, Congresswoman Carolyn Cheeks Kilpatrick, am requesting funding for the Detroit Creative Business Accelerator in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Detroit Creative Business Accelerator, which is located at 600 Renaissance Center, Detroit, Michigan 48243. The Detroit Creative Business Accelerator, working with the Detroit Renaissance Center, will use these funds to construct the physical space for the business accelerator and to underwrite the initial start-up operations of the accelerator, including programming and staff. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Room H-218, The Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey:

I, Congresswoman Carolyn Cheeks Kilpatrick, am requesting funding for Wayne State University in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Wayne State University, which is located at 656 West Kirby, Room 4220 FAB, Detroit, Michigan 48202. Wayne State University is seeking this funding to be used by the Law School's Small Business Clinic to provide legal assistance to low- and moderate-income small businesses in Detroit. Such assistance will help ensure the viability and success of these businesses. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Member of Congress

RON KLEIN

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March 05, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Small Business Incubator Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Florida Atlantic University , located at Boca Raton, FL. The funding would be used for establishing a small business innovation collaboration among region schools. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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March 19, 2008

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House Appropriations Committee
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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1016 Longworth
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, District of Columbia, School Improvement account for the General Services Technician/Pre-Apprenticeship Training Program. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Excel Institute, located at 2851 V Street, NE, Washington, DC, 20018. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to prepare students for careers in the automotive industry. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

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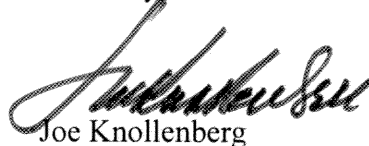
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I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration, Salaries and Expenses account for the Ex-Offender Entrepreneurship Program. The entity to receive funding for this project is The United Way for Southeast Michigan, located at 1212 Griswold, Detroit, Michigan, 48226. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to provide vocational and management training to help ex-offenders become self employed. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress [OR: was named after Representative John Doe in 1983]; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Joe Knollenberg
Member of Congress

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CONGRESSMAN RAY LAHOOD
18TH DISTRICT, ILLINOIS

March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

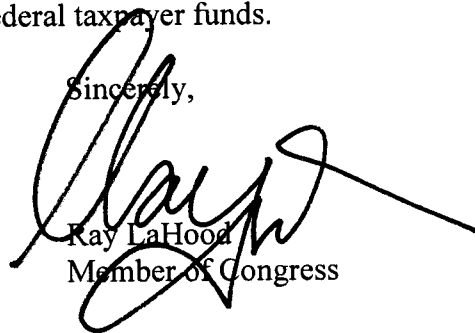
I am requesting funding for the promotion of community based literacy. The entity to receive funding for this project is Everybody Wins!, located at 666 11th Street, NW, Suite 1030, Washington, DC 20001.

The funding would be used to promote this community based literacy program.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Sincerely,



Ray LaHood
Member of Congress

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March 11, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Rhode Island Manufacturers Institute in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Rhode Island Manufacturers Institute, located at 260 West Exchange Street Suite 005, Providence, RI 02903. The funding would be used for completing a comprehensive competitiveness study on the entire manufacturing industry in Rhode Island. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



James R. Langevin
Member of Congress



CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

March 17, 2008

TOM LATHAM
Congressman
4th District, Iowa

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Act for purchasing, expanding and renovating a facility for the Iowa Valley Education and Training Center. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Iowa Valley Community College, located at 3702 South Center Street, Marshalltown, IA 50158. The funding would be used to purchase, renovate, and expand the current leased facility. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

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Sincerely,

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Tom Latham
Member of Congress



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March 17, 2008

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations Act for staffing the Regional Economic Development Organization. The entity to receive funding for this project is the North Iowa Area Community College, located at 500 College Drive, Mason City, IA 50401. The funding would be used to assist in paying salaries at the organization in order to improve marketing and recruitment of business in rural Iowa. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

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Tom Latham
Member of Congress

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March 18, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218 U.S. Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for the East Bay Green Jobs Project in the City of Berkeley, CA in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding, the City of Berkeley, is located at 2180 Milvia Street, Berkeley, CA 94704. The mailing address is the same. The funding will be used to implement and manage education programs to teach skills applicable to jobs in the energy efficiency, alternative energy, clean technology, and emerging green industry sectors which are dominated by small startup businesses. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara Lee".

BARBARA LEE
Member of Congress

BARBARA LEE
9TH DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

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March 24, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218 U.S. Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for Economic Vitality of Minority Business Program in Oakland, CA in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Oakland African American Chamber of Commerce Foundation, located at 449 15th Street, 4th Floor, Oakland, CA 94612. Funding for the Oakland African American Chamber of Commerce Foundation will support ongoing programs to provide technical assistance to small businesses to help them qualify and compete for private and public contracts. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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Barbara Lee
Member of Congress

Sander Levin

12th District, Michigan

Congress of the United States House of Representatives

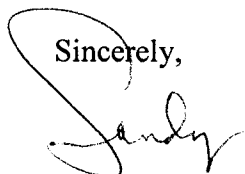
March 13, 2008

Representative David R. Obey, Chair
Representative Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a Macomb County Business Accelerator as part of the Southeast Michigan Regional Innovation Network in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Macomb County Department of Planning and Economic Development, located at One South Main Street, 7th Floor, in Mount Clemens, MI 48043. The funding would be used facility renovations at the site of the new Accelerator. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Sander M. Levin
Member of Congress

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-1303

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION
AND INFRASTRUCTURE

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AND TECHNOLOGY, VICE CHAIRMAN

COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS

March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the SEGUINWORKS Business Renovation Project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Seguin Services, Inc., located at 3100 S. Central Avenue, Cicero, IL 60804. The funding would be used to provide space for the expansion of the SEGUINWORKS business initiative, a program through which the organization provides hundreds of adults with disabilities employment and vocational services. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



DANIEL LIPINSKI
Member of Congress

FRANK A. LoBIONDO
2ND DISTRICT, NEW JERSEY



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House of Representatives
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March 13, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Appropriations Committee
H 218 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Richard Stockton College Aviation Research and Technology Park in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Richard Stockton College, PO Box 195, Pomona, NJ 08240. The funding would be used by the College to support the development of an Aviation Research and Technology park that will attract small and minority owned businesses engaged in the development of the next generation air transportation system. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Sincerely,

Frank A. LoBiondo
Member of Congress



Nita M. Lowey
Congress of the United States
18th District, New York

March 14, 2008

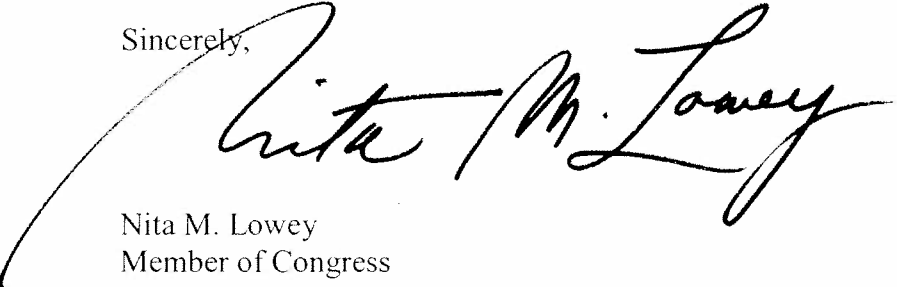
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding to help prospective small business owners acquire the skills necessary to open a small business in the fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Women's Enterprise Development Center, located at 707 Westchester Avenue, Suite 213, White Plains, NY 10604. The funding would be used by the non-profit Women's Enterprise Development Center to provide a comprehensive year-long business leadership program to help women achieve economic self-sufficiency through small business ownership. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Nita M. Lowey
Member of Congress

CAROLYN B. MALONEY
14TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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March 13, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Project for Return and Opportunity in Veterans Education (PROVE) in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Hunter College, located at 695 Park Ave, NY, NY 10021. The funding would be used for developing a continuing education certificate program focusing on Business, Entrepreneurship, and Professional Development to implement these programs.. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


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March 13, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Field Center for Entrepreneurship project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Baruch College/CUNY, located at One Bernard Baruch Way New York, NY 10010. The funding would be used for programming at The Field Center to: (1) create an entrepreneurship speaker series open to the community; (2) develop curriculum for internet technology based for entrepreneurs and to create a forum for networking and exchanging ideas embedded in an educational program; and (3) to support new conferences, seminars and educational programs directed to various college and city wide constituencies. The project will foster the economic development of the 14th Congressional District and the greater New York City area.. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carolyn B. Maloney".

Carolyn B. Maloney
Member of Congress

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14TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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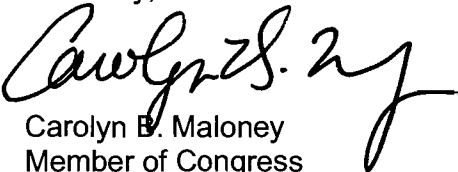
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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for The Center for Competitive Response to Globalization in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Neil D. Levin Graduate Institute, located at 116 E. 55th Street NYC, NY 10022. The funding would be used for providing companies business tools, skills and regional knowledge to better respond to the new competitive challenges posed by the forces of globalization, especially with respect to the rise of China. Information will be delivered through seminars in New York, through partnerships with State University campuses, and a website to disseminate more broadly the knowledge about markets, manufacturing and innovation in China and other emerging economies. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Carolyn B. Maloney
Member of Congress

DONALD A. MANZULLO
16TH DISTRICT, ILLINOIS

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Washington, DC 20515-1316

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June 11, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Room H-218, the Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
Room 1016 Longworth HOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting a revision of my initial funding request for the FY 09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, from the Small Business Administration (SBA) account, for a Manufacturing Research and Development/Education Center at the Chicago/Rockford International Airport in Rockford, Illinois.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Greater Rockford Airport Authority located at 60 Airport Drive, Rockford, Illinois, 61109. Mr. Bob O'Brien, who is the Executive Director of the Rockford Airport Authority, has advised me that the funds would be used to support the operations of a Manufacturing R&D/Education Center to support the development of new aerospace small businesses in the region, including training the workforce required in these new endeavors. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely yours,



Donald A. Manzullo
Member of Congress

CAROLYN MCCARTHY
4TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK



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March 17, 2008

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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Homeless Training Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Bethany House, located at 102 Whitehouse Ave, Roosevelt, NY 11575. The funding would be used for training homeless women for employment and local employers and realtors to use tax credits when hiring previously homeless persons. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


CAROLYN MCCARTHY
MEMBER OF CONGRESS



CAROLYN MCCARTHY
4TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK



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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Revolving Loan Fund in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is La Fuerza Unida Community Development Corporation, located at 71 North Franklin Street, Suite 205, Hempstead, NY 11550. The funding will be used for offering technical assistance to women-owned and minority-owned small businesses and entrepreneurs and outreach efforts. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


CAROLYN MCCARTHY
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The Honorable Ralph Regula
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Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula,

I am requesting funding for the **Southern University at Shreveport Business Development Center** in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is **Southern University at Shreveport**, located at **3050 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive, Shreveport, LA 71107**. The funding would be used to **accelerate the growth and success of small businesses through an array of support resources and services**. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Thank you for your consideration of this project request. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or my Appropriations staffer, Curt Beaulieu at 6-6349.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,



JIM McCRERY
Member of Congress

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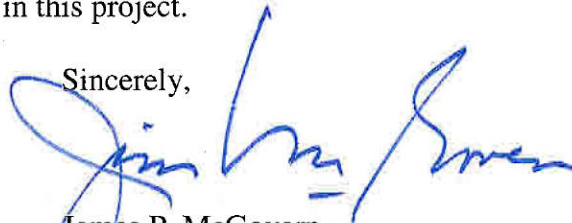
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the **Becker College Nurse Training** program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Becker College, 61 Sever Street, Worcester, MA 01609. The funding would be used to assist Becker College expand its advanced curriculum for RN and BSN programs so it can serve a growing demand for nurses and initiate employer education partnerships as a means of expanding access. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a Business Forecasting Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of the Pacific, located at 3601 Pacific Avenue, Stockton, CA 95211. The funding would be used for expanding the work of scholars who will supply otherwise unavailable regional economic analysis that will also suggest necessary local responses to challenges and opportunities with regard to business, industry and the local workforce. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Jerry McNerney
Member of Congress

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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Watervliet Innovation Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Center for Economic Growth located at 44 Dalliba Avenue, Watervliet, New York 12189.

The funding would be used to promote job growth and economic development by assisting emerging technology businesses in navigating state and federal customers.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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Michael R. McNulty
Member of Congress

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The Honorable José E. Serrano, Chairman
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Dear Chairman Serrano:

I am requesting funds for the Miami-Dade Chamber of Commerce for the Technical Assistance and Economic Development project in fiscal year 2009.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Miami-Dade Chamber of Commerce located at 11380 NW 27th Avenue, Suite 1328; Miami, Florida 33167. The funding would be used to revitalize existing businesses and attract new businesses to Liberty City and the surrounding areas.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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KENDRICK B. MEEK
Member of Congress

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Dear Chair and Ranking Member:

I am requesting funding for the Jamaica Export Center. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Jamaica Chamber of Commerce Inc., located at 90-25 161st Street, Suite 505, Jamaica, NY 11432.

The funding would be used for operational assistance, supporting women and other minority star-up businesses as well as business training.

I certify that neither I, nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Gregory W. Meeks
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Dear Mr. Chairman and Mr. Ranking Member:

I am requesting funding for the North Carolina Biotechnology Center Expansion in FY 2009. The entity to receive this funding is:

North Carolina Biotechnology Center
15 T.W. Alexander Drive
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

The funding will be used to expand the North Carolina Biotechnology Center facility in Research Triangle Park, N.C. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Brad Miller
Member of Congress

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Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for a business accelerator in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive this financial allotment is Macomb County, located at 1 S. Main St. Mt. Clemens, MI 48043. The funding would be used for a business incubator. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Sincerely,

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Candice S. Miller
Member of Congress

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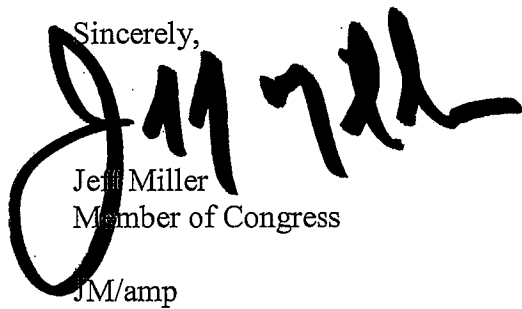
Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Florida Business Continuity and Risk Management Center at the University of West Florida in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of West Florida, located at 11000 University Parkway, Pensacola, FL, 32504. The funding would be used to provide permanent staffing to assist the BCRMC respond to both public and private sector needs of products and services in the aftermath of disasters. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that this request (1) is not directed to any entity or program named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended for a "front" or "pass through" entity; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

With warm personal regards, I am

Sincerely,



Jeff Miller
Member of Congress
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JAMES P. MORAN
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Georgetown Metro Connection Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Georgetown BID, located at 1055 Thomas Jefferson Street N.W. Suite L-11, Washington D.C., 20007. The funding would be used to provide transit service between Rosslyn, Virginia and the Washington D.C. communities of Georgetown, DuPont Circle, and Foggy Bottom .

I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

James P Moran
Member of Congress

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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Boys and Girls Club of Greater Washington Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Boys and Girls Club of Greater Washington, located at 3265 S St NW, Washington, DC 20007. The funding would be used to support the implementation of Project Learn, an educational enhancement program.

I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.



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Member of Congress

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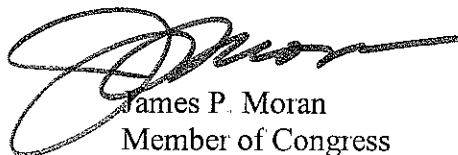
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Perry School in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Perry School Community Services Center, located at 128 M Street N.W. Suite 100, Washington D.C., 20001. The funding would be used to provide support for multi-purpose social services including job training, career enhancement and GED preparation.

I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.



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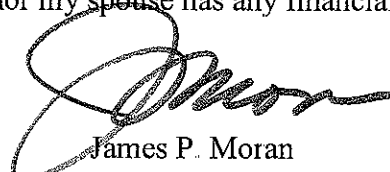
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Capital Area Food Bank in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Capital Area Food Bank, located at 645 Taylor Street N.E., Washington, DC 20017. The funding would be used to complete construction of kitchens and new food service area.

I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.



James P. Moran
Member of Congress

JERRY MORAN
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis :

This letter is to certify that I am requesting funding for the University of Kansas Center for Trade and Agribusiness for fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Kansas located at 1450 Jayhawk Boulevard, Room 230, Lawrence, Kansas 66045. The funding would be used for activities at the center that allow law students and faculty the ability to distribute legal expertise into the field of trade and agribusiness which is crucial to the continued economic success of Kansas . I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Very truly yours,

Jerry Moran

Jerry Moran

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CHRISTOPHER S. MURPHY
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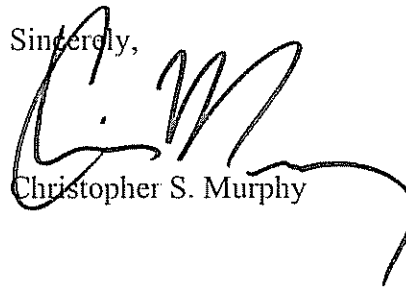
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Farmington Technology Incubation Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is University of Connecticut Health Center, located at 263 Farmington Avenue, Farmington, Connecticut 06030. The funding would be used for entrepreneurial incubation center. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Christopher S. Murphy

CONGRESSMAN PATRICK J. MURPHY
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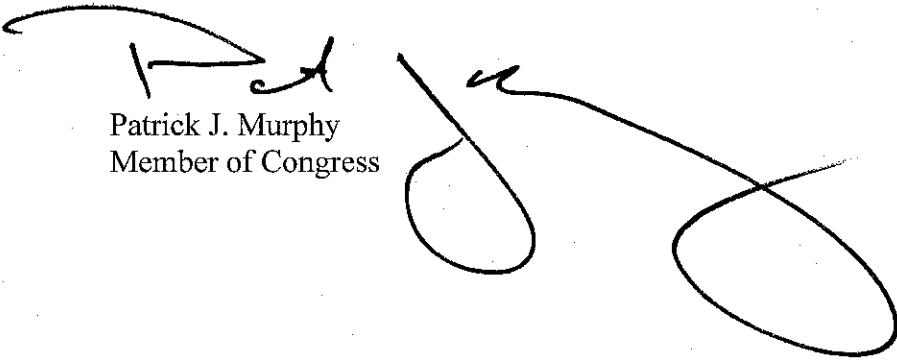
The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington DC 29515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for a Green Technologies Academy in fiscal year 2009 Financial Services Appropriations bill. The entity to receive funding for this project is Bucks County Community College, located at 275 Swamp Road in Newtown, PA 18940. The funding would be used for a green manufacturing career development and training program. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in the project.

If you have any questions, please contact Gwen Camp of my staff at 202-226-2379.

Sincerely,


Patrick J. Murphy
Member of Congress

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House of Representatives
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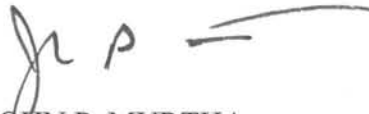
March 14, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chairman
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Johnstown Area Regional Industries (JARI) Incubator and Workforce Development project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Johnstown Area Regional Industries, located at 245 Market Street Johnstown, PA, 15901. The funding would be used for a workforce development program to assist small businesses with consulting and marketing expertise. The program will also expand the incubator project to provide the next generation of industries in southwestern Pennsylvania the guidance they need to prosper. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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JOHN P. MURTHA
MEMBER OF CONGRESS

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3812

March 14, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chairman
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Economic Growth Connection (EGC) of Westmoreland County, PA, Procurement Assistance Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Economic Growth Connection of Westmoreland County, located at 450 S. Main Street, Suite 6, Greensburg, PA 15601. The funding would be used to provide additional support to businesses in the region for all phases of the government contracting process. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



JOHN P. MURTHA
MEMBER OF CONGRESS

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March 17, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Financial Education and Attainment Training in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Consortium for Worker Education, located at 275 Seventh Avenue, 18th Floor, New York, NY 10001. The funding would be used for a variety of financial literacy education programs. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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Jerrold Nadler
Member of Congress

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Grace F. Napolitano

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
38th District of California
March 19, 2008

Honorable David R. Obey
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
Room H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey & Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Fairplex Trade and Conference Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Los Angeles County Fair Association, located at 1101 West McKinley Avenue, Pomona, CA 91768. The funding would be used to construct the Fairplex Trade and Conference Center, which will host domestic and international trade and commerce programs, expositions and trade symposia, as well as events that provide education in traditional trades.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Grace F. Napolitano
Member of Congress

ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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March 18, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218 U.S. Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the following project in fiscal year 2008:

Project: Brent Dream Class of 2006

Entity to receive funding: "I Have A Dream" Foundation of Washington DC

Address: 612 East Capitol Street NE, Washington, DC 20003

Purpose: To make scholarship-like tuition payments needed to finance the remaining 3-4 years of education of a group of low-income, high risk students currently in college and trade school whose funding from sponsors has been exhausted.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project. Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eleanor Holmes Norton".

Eleanor Holmes Norton
Member of Congress

ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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March 12, 2008

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H-218 U.S. Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the following project in fiscal year 2008:

Project: Capital Area Food Bank- Capital Development
(acquisition and construction of new facility)

Entity to receive funding: Capital Area Food Bank

Address: 645 Taylor Street, NE Washington D.C.

Purpose: The Capital Area Food Bank is the largest non-profit provider of food to those at risk of hunger in the Washington Metropolitan Area. However, poverty and hunger have grown faster than the Food Bank. The Food Bank's limited capacity for additional collection, handling, and storage has forced it to turn away over 2 million pounds of food annually for the past eight years, and has left it unable to expand its education and nutrition programs. Accordingly, to better address the growing hunger needs of the Washington Metropolitan Area, the Capital Area Food Bank has undertaken a capital campaign to fund the acquisition and construction of a new warehouse and request funding in the amount of \$2.5 million

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project. Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

Eleanor Holmes Norton

ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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March 18, 2008

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Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
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Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the following project in fiscal year 2008:

Project: DC Campaign for Literacy Education (CYCLE)

Entity to receive funding: City Year Washington, DC

Address: 918 U Street, NW 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20001

Purpose: Increase literacy skills training for 400 new children K-8, in-school, after-school, one-on-one, and small group.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project. Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eleanor Holmes Norton". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned to the left of a vertical red line.

Eleanor Holmes Norton
Member of Congress

JAMES L. OBERSTAR

8TH DISTRICT, MINNESOTA

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for \$600,000 in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Northeast Entrepreneur Fund, located at 8355 Unity Drive, Virginia, MN 55792. The funding would be used for the Greenstone Group project. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



James L. Oberstar
Member of Congress

JOHN W. OLVER
1ST DISTRICT, MASSACHUSETTS

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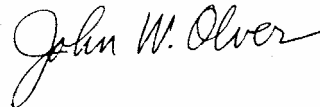
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Dear Chairman Serrano,

I am requesting funding for the Greater Gardner CDC Service Related Training Collaborative for low-income adults in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Greater Gardner CDC, located at 8 Parker Street, Gardner, Massachusetts 01440. The funding would be used to provide training to low-income adults, primarily women, to develop customer service and office skills necessary to obtain and retain office of similar employment. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



John W. Olver
Member of Congress

JOHN W. OLVER
1ST DISTRICT, MASSACHUSETTS

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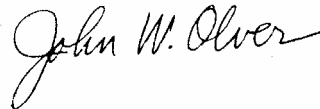
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Dear Chairman Serrano,

I am requesting funding for Berkshire Enterprises Entrepreneurial Training Program in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Berkshire Enterprises, located at 1350 West Street, Pittsfield, Massachusetts 01201. The funding would be used to provide entrepreneurial training to dislocated workers so that they can start their own businesses and create jobs for themselves and others in the region. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



John W. Olver
Member of Congress

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27TH DISTRICT, TEXAS

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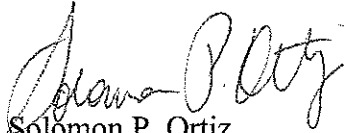
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the North Brownsville Industrial Park in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Brownsville Economic Development Council, located at 301 Mexico St. Suite F-1, Brownsville, TX 78520. The funding would be used for the development of an industrial park. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Solomon P. Ortiz
Member of Congress

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Congress of the United States
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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for How to Succeed in Business in the Public Sector for SWMBE in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the County of Essex, located at 465 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd. Newark, NJ 07102. The funding would be used for an eight-week course to be presented six times over a one-year period for Small, Women and Minority Business Enterprises to provide them with the knowledge and guidance to improve their businesses and to successfully compete for projects and jobs in the public sector. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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Bill Pascrell, Jr.
Member of Congress

ED PASTOR
4TH DISTRICT, ARIZONA



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March 11, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a new small business incubator in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive the funding for this program is Chicanos Por La Causa, located at 1112 East Buckeye Road, Phoenix, AZ, 85043. The funding would be used for construction costs associated with creating a 45,000 square foot business incubator that will provide retail and office space to emerging and displaced small businesses.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Ed Pastor
Member of Congress

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STEVAN PEARCE

2ND DISTRICT, NEW MEXICO

ASSISTANT REPUBLICAN WHIP

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March 13, 2008

The Honorable José Serrano
Chairman
Subcommittee on Financial Services
and General Government
Committee on Appropriations
Room B-300 Rayburn HOB
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Financial Services
and General Government
Committee on Appropriations
Room B-300 Rayburn HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman and Ranking Member:

I am requesting funding in FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration, Salaries and Expenses account ACCENT: Adelante Development Center's Congressional Comprehensive Employment Network and Training program. The entity to receive funding for this project is Adelante Development Center at 3900 Osuna Road, NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to incorporate a school-to-work transition program for persons with disabilities. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

Stevan Pearce
Member of Congress

JOHN E. PETERSON

5TH DISTRICT, PENNSYLVANIA

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March 18, 2008

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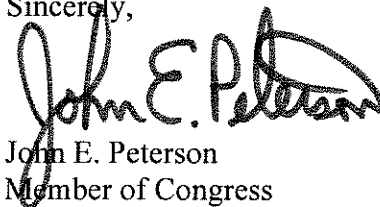
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration account for the Oil Region Alliance in Pennsylvania. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Oil Region Alliance, P.O. Box 128, 206 Seneca Street, 4th Floor, Oil City, PA 16301. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for a municipal outreach coordinator. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



John E. Peterson
Member of Congress

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JOHN E. PETERSON

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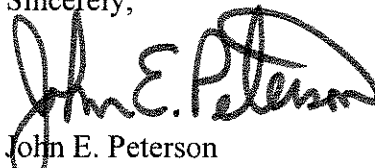
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration account for Lock Haven, PA. The entity to receive funding for this project is Lock Haven University Small Business Development Center, 301 W. Church Street, East Campus, J102, Lock Haven, PA 17745. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for a tax compliance resource program. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



John E. Peterson
Member of Congress

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Subcommittee on Financial Services
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Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula, Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Financial Services
1016 Longworth
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis, Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, SBA account, for an Industrial Park Spec Building in Kemper County, MS. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Kemper County Board of Supervisors in Dekalb, MS. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to provide additional space for new or expanding businesses. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interest of me or my spouse.

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Sincerely,


Chip Pickering

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March 14, 2008

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for an Entrepreneurship/ Research and Development Training Initiative in the fiscal year 2009 Financial Services appropriations bill.

The entity to receive funding for this project is:

North Carolina Biotechnology Center
15 T.W. Alexander Drive
Research Triangle Park, NC 27709-3547

The funding would be used for a new program targeting academic researchers and novice entrepreneurs who are interested in starting, or who have already started, biotechnology companies in North Carolina. The new program will concentrate on training successful biotechnology company managers. In addition, the Center will investigate the employment needs in the research and development sector, and determine and implement the most strategic approaches to developing its workforce.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David Price".

DAVID PRICE
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services appropriations bill, Small Business Account for the Florida Department of Citrus. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Florida Department of Citrus, Post Office Box 148 , Lakeland, FL 33802. It is my understanding that the funding would be used for an abscission chemical for improved citrus harvesting. *I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.*

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Sincerely,

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Adam H. Putnam
Member of Congress

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Stark State College of Technology. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Stark State College of Technology at 6200 Frank Avenue, NW, North Canton, OH 44720. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to develop and grow a world-class Fuel Cell Service, Repair & Overhaul Learning Center on the Stark State College campus. It will focus on developing technicians and field service engineers with expertise to work on solid oxide fuel cell systems. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

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Sincerely,

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Ralph Regula M.C.

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House of Representatives

Washington, DC 20515

March 18, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration, Salaries and Expenses account for the Montana World Trade Center EnterpriseMontana Initiative. The entity to receive funding for this project is EnterpriseMontana at Gallagher Business Building, Suite 257, University of Montana, Missoula, MT 59812. The funding would be used in creating clusters of small businesses in areas including agriculture, food products, environmental and engineering services. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

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Sincerely,


Denny Rehberg
Member of Congress

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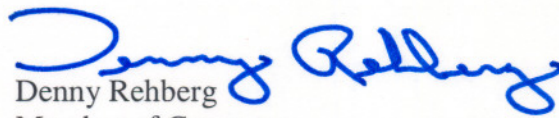
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration, Salaries and Expenses account for the Montana State University – (MMEC) Commercialization of Bio Product program. The entity to receive funding for this project is Montana State University, Bozeman at 207 Montana Hall, Bozeman, MT 59717. It is my understanding that the funding would be used in the continued development and commercialization of bio-based products. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

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March 18, 2008

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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration, Salaries and Expenses account for the Tech Ranch – University Centers program. The entity to receive funding for this project is Montana State University, Bozeman at 207 Montana Hall, Bozeman, MT 59717. It is my understanding that the funding would be used in development of a pilot program for strategic business development in the rural areas throughout Montana. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

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Sincerely,



Denny Rehberg
Member of Congress

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16TH DISTRICT, TEXAS

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March 5, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chairman
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Bi-National Sustainability Laboratory in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is located at 709 Waltham Ct, El Paso, TX. The funding would be used for the creation of a Border Technology Commercialization Facility. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Silvestre Reyes
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
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Dear Chairman Obey, Ranking Member Lewis, Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for the California State University at Dominguez Hills in the Fiscal Year 2009. The entity receiving funding for this project is the Online Certificate Program for Veterans, located at 1000 E. Victoria Street, Carson, CA 90747. The funding would be used for the California State University, Dominguez Hills, Online Certificate and Applied Studies Program Targeted to Veterans, Service Disabled Veterans and Disabled Students. This curriculum specifically caters to veterans interested in becoming entrepreneurs and small business owners. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Laura Richardson
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for Alamo WorkSource Center project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Alamo WorkSource Center, 1802 Ave. M, Hondo, TX 78861. The funding would be used to further develop business resources and employment services to for economic development. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Ciro D. Rodriguez
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for Pecos Economic Development Corporation project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Pecos Economic Development Corporation, 111 South Cedar (Highway 285), Pecos City, TX. The funding would be used to further develop business resources and employment services to for economic development. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Ciro D. Rodriguez
Member of Congress

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April 17, 2008

The Honorable Jose Serrano
House Appropriations Committee
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1040-A Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula
House Appropriations Committee
Subcommittee on Financial Services
1016 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for the National Alliance for Model State Drug Laws within the Office of National Drug Control Policy in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the National Alliance for Model State Drug Laws, located at 700 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, VA 22314. The funding will continue to assist states with their efforts to address diversion of prescription drugs. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

I also certify that to the best of my knowledge this request adheres to the Republican Leadership's new earmark standards.

Sincerely,


HAROLD ROGERS
Member of Congress

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The Honorable Ralph Regula
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Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for the Southern and Eastern Kentucky Tourism Development Association (SEKTDA) in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Southern and Eastern Kentucky Tourism Development Association located at 2292 South Highway 27, Somerset, KY 42501. The funding will be used for regional tourism promotion, development and coordination. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

I also certify that to the best of my knowledge this request adheres to the Republican Leadership's new earmark standards.

Sincerely,


HAROLD ROGERS
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
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Washington DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration Business Loans Program for Jacksonville State University. The entity to receive funding for this project is Jacksonville State University at Bibb Graves Hall, 700 Pelham Road North, Jacksonville, AL 36256. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to fund the Remote Campus and Distant Learning project. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

Mike Rogers
Member of Congress

MIKE ROGERS
8TH DISTRICT, MICHIGAN

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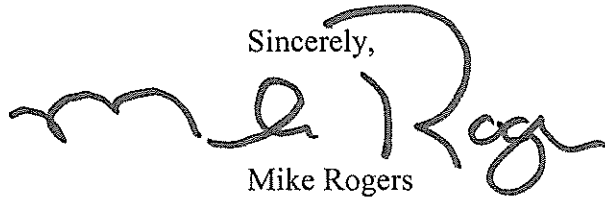
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Micro Business Incubator. The entity to receive funding for this project is Cleary University at 3750 Cleary Drive, Howell, MI 48843. The funding would be used for the Micro Business Incubator. I certify that I do not have any financial interests in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to any entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Mike Rogers
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for How to Succeed in Business in the Public Sector for Small, Women and Minority Business Enterprises (SWMBE) in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the County of Essex, located at 465 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard, Newark, NJ 07102. The funding would be used for course, to be entitled "How to Succeed in Business in the Public Sector," which will be repeated six times during the year. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Steven R. Rothman
Member of Congress

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April 9, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Asian Pacific Islander Small Business Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Little Tokyo Service Center located at 231 East Third Street, Los Angeles, CA 90013. The funding would be used to provide training and counseling for small business development for low income, ethnic minority and immigrant entrepreneurs, who wish to start a new business or expand or stabilize their existing business. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lucille Roybal-Allard".

LUCILLE ROYBAL-ALLARD
Member of Congress

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The Honorable Ralph Regula, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chair Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for Allied Health career Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Baltimore City Public Schools, located at 200 East North Ave. Baltimore MD 21202. The funding would be used for Allied Health career Program.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



C.A. Dutch Ruppertsberger
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
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Dear Mr. Chairman and Ranking Member:

I am requesting funding for the Salute to Success Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Youngstown Warren Regional Chamber, located at 11 Federal Plaza Central, Suite 1600, Youngstown, OH 44501. These funds will allow the YWRC to develop initiatives to address challenges with entrepreneurship and business startups. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tim Ryan".

Tim Ryan
Member of Congress

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March 16, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Rio Hondo College, CA Environmental Education for Small Businesses for Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Rio Hondo College, located at 3600 Workman Mill Way, Whittier, CA 90601.

Funding for this project will enable Rio Hondo College to organize free environmental education workshops and one-on-one audits for small businesses in southeast Los Angeles County to promote workplace environmental stewardship that is also profitable.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Linda T. Sánchez
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

Dear Chairman Obey and Jerry Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the South Pasadena Downtown Revitalization Plan in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of South Pasadena located at 1414 Mission St, South Pasadena, CA 91030. Funding would be used to help complete the city's downtown revitalization plan which consists rehabilitating three city blocks. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Adam B. Schiff".

ADAM B. SCHIFF
Member of Congress

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
Room 1016 Longworth House Office Building
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Dear Chairman Obey and Jerry Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Women's Business Center in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Valley Economic Development Center located at 5121 Van Nuys Blvd, 3rd Floor, Van Nuys, CA 91403. Funding would be used to provide technical assistance and training to emerging and existing women entrepreneurs at the Glendale satellite facility. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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ADAM B. SCHIFF
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Dear Chairman Obey and Jerry Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Assisting Minority-Owned Businesses With Resources and Capital in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Verdugo Workforce Investment Board located at 1255 S. Central Avenue, Glendale, CA 91204. Funding would be used to conduct outreach, targeting small, minority-owned businesses to identify their business needs and refer them to resources and services, such as SBA assistance. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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ADAM B. SCHIFF
Member of Congress

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March 18, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Immersive Technology and Arts Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Shawnee State University located at 940 Second Street, Portsmouth, Ohio 45662-4344. The funding would be used for equipment and staffing needs at the Immersive Technology and Arts Center. *I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.*

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congress Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Jean Schmidt
Member of Congress

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March 11, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the South Bronx Cultural Corridor in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Bronx Council on the Arts, located at 1738 Hone Avenue, Bronx, New York 10461. The funding would be used for helping to utilize the existing arts-related entrepreneurial assets of the South Bronx to facilitate the economic and cultural development of the South Bronx. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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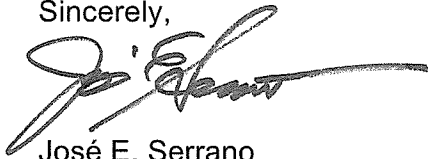
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for an economic and community development program for elderly people in the Bronx in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Housing Options and Geriatric Association Resources, Inc. (H.O.G.A.R.), located at 751 Dawson Street, Bronx, New York 10455. The funding would be used for services to senior citizens which helps to stabilize the local community. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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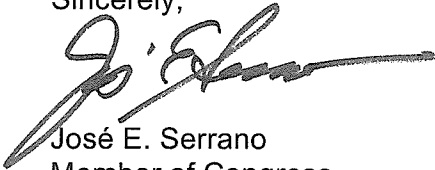
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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the training programs provided by Asociacion De Provincias Dominicanas (ASOPRODOM) in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Asociacion De Provincias Dominicanas (ASOPRODOM), located at 1435 Ogden Avenue, Bronx, New York 10452. The funding would be used for training to help the participants to refine their entrepreneurial skills and open their own businesses. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



José E. Serrano
Member of Congress

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March 12, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a youth development training program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Mount Hope Housing Company, located at 2003-05 Walton Avenue, Bronx, New York 10453. The funding would be used for helping to ensure future employment opportunities for youth in the Bronx. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for training programs in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Bronx Shepherds Restoration Corporation, located at 1932 Washington Avenue, Bronx, New York 10457. The funding would be used for a wide range of training programs. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



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Member of Congress

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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the National Latino Data Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the National Institute for Latino Policy, located at 101 Avenue of the Americas #313, New York, NY 10013. The funding would be used for the establishment of the National Latino Data Center to provide business information to local businesses, researchers, and communities with a focus on the needs of the Latino community of the South Bronx and other parts of New York City. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


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March 13, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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H218, The Capitol
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for programs for the elderly in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Presbyterian Senior Services, located at 2095 Broadway, Suite 409, New York, New York 10023. The funding would be used for economic and community development programs for the elderly at the Prospect Avenue Grandparents' Residence. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


José E. Serrano
Member of Congress

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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for an economic and community development family residential services program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Thorpe Family Residence, Inc., located at 406 E. 184th Street, Bronx, New York 10458. The funding would be used for services to the homeless mothers and children, who reside in this transitional residence, as they seek permanent housing, participate in job training, or continue to pursue their education. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



José E. Serrano
Member of Congress

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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Small Business Solution Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Delaware County Community College, located at 901 South Media Line, Media, PA 19063. The funding would be used for expanding and developing training programs for aspiring small business owners. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Joe Sestak
Member of Congress

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CHAIRMAN

March 17, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 29515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for a "Certified Entrepreneurial Community" project in the Financial Services Appropriations bill. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Advantage West Economic Development Group, located at 134 Wright Brothers Way, Fletcher, NC 28732. The funding would be used to implement a program that will both attract resources that match what the community is doing and also elevate their exposure through an aggressive marketing campaign. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

If you have any questions, please contact Sean O'Brien of my staff at 202-225-6401.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Heath Shuler". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Heath Shuler
Member of Congress

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CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 7, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
Washington DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for The Idaho Research and Economic Development and Entrepreneurial Initiative in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Boise State University, located at 1910 University Drive Boise, ID 83725-1135. The funding would be used for BSU to establish research partnerships with business and governmental agencies to aid and grow businesses in Idaho. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mike Simpson". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "M" and "S".

Mike Simpson
Member of Congress

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The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for The Water Cooler, Boise's Creativity Business Development center in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Capital City Development Corporation, located at 805 W. Idaho St., Ste. 403 Boise, ID 83702. The funding would be used to create a nonprofit business development center for synergistic, emerging businesses and interests in Boise's creativity economy. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

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Sincerely,

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Mike Simpson
Member of Congress

ALBIO SIRES
13TH DISTRICT, NEW JERSEY

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Room H-218 The Capitol
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Congressman Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
Room H-218 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

March 19, 2008

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Women in Small Business Program, County of Essex, New Jersey in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the County of Essex, 465 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard, Newark, New Jersey 07102. The funding would be used to create a course for women and minority-owned business enterprises to provide them with the knowledge and guidance to improve their businesses and to enable them to successfully compete for projects and jobs in the public sector. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Albio Sires
Member of Congress

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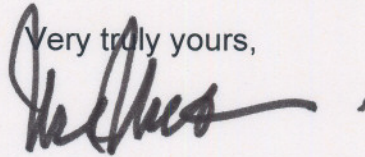
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Experience Works, Inc., in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Experience Works, Inc., of Missouri & Illinois located at PO Box 414, Buffalo, MO, 65622. The funding would be used to assist small business owners overcome recruitment and training difficulties and build an age diverse workforce. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Very truly yours,



IKE SKELTON
Member of Congress

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March 10, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
Chairman
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Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable José E. Serrano
Chairman
Subcommittee on Financial Services and
General Government
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
1040A Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Chairman Serrano:

I am requesting funding for the Urban League of Rochester's Minority and Women Business Development Programs in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Urban League of Rochester, NY, Inc., located at 265 North Clinton Avenue, Rochester, NY 14605. The funding would be used to expand the Urban League's minority and women business development services, with a specific focus on the Jefferson Avenue corridor.

Pursuant to clause 17(a)(5) of Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in such congressional earmark.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Louise M. Slaughter".

Louise M. Slaughter
Member of Congress

ADRIAN SMITH
THIRD DISTRICT, NEBRASKA
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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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May 30, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
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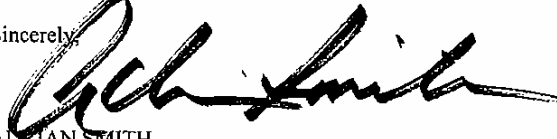
The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Republican Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Central Nebraska World Trade Center in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is University of Nebraska at Kearney located at 905 West 25th Street, Kearney, Nebraska 68849. The funding would be used to provide market research to businesses, facilitate participation in trade shows, organize trade missions, conduct international trade education for businesses, and offer business services that directly support trade for clients. This program will be a one-stop resource for businesses at various stages, from exploring opportunities to forming export and import agreements with trade partners. I certify that I have no financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



ADRIAN SMITH
Member of Congress

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

March 17, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Room H-218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Alamo Region Energy Futures Park Center of Excellence in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Alamo Community Colleges, located at 201 W. Sheridan, San Antonio, TX 78204-1429. The funding would be used to establish the Futures Park which would house advanced energy credit and non-credit instructions for students, education, and business and industry. The center will combine education and training with practical hands on applied research. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

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Sincerely,

Lamar Smith
Member of Congress

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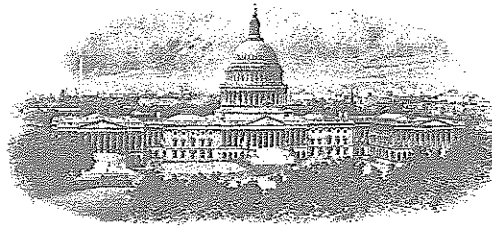
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June 11, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for funding for PACE Micro Enterprise for counseling and advising services to small businesses in fiscal year 2009.

The entity to receive funding for this project is PACE (Pacific Asian Consortium in Employment), located at 1055 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1475, Los Angeles, CA, 90017

The funding would be used to assist small business entrepreneurs in the San Gabriel Valley through counseling and advising services.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

HILDA L. SOLIS
Member of Congress

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ZACK SPACE
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OVERSIGHT AND INVESTIGATIONS

March 11, 2008

Chairman David Obey
House Appropriations Committee
H 218 Capitol Building
Washington, DC 20515


Ranking Member Jerry Lewis
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Rural Economic Development Program project in Fiscal Year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Foundation for Appalachian Ohio, located at 36 Public Square, P.O. Box 456, Nelsonville, OH 45764. The funding would be used for training programs and business development to rural areas to generate economic growth.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Rep. Zack Space

CLIFF STEARNS

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May 21, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Heart of Florida Regional Economic Development Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Central Florida Community College, located at 3001 SW College Road, Ocala, FL 34474. The funding would be used for a cooperative initiative to identify growth industries, strengthen development and create strategic plans for economic growth in the region. I certify that neither my spouse nor I have any financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of the federal taxpayers fund.

Sincerely,

Cliff Stearns
Member of Congress

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March 14, 2008

José E. Serrano, Chairman
Subcommittee on Financial Services
and General Government
B-300 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Ralph Regula, Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Financial Services
and General Government
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman and Ranking Member:

I respectfully request funding for *Delta Foundation* in Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government Fiscal Year 2009 Appropriations.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Delta Foundation located at 819 Main Street Greenville, MS 38701, Cindy Ayers-Elliot, CEO at 662-335-5295.

Pursuant to clause 17(a) (5) if Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 110th Congress, I hereby certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you in advance for your careful consideration of these requests, and I wish you great success as you deliberate this very important legislation. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Karis Gutter, Legislative Director, in my office at (202) 225-5876.

Sincerely,



Bennie G. Thompson
Member of Congress

EDOLPHUS "ED" TOWNS
MEMBER OF CONGRESS
10TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
Room H-218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1016 LHOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Expand Career Services Programs in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Metropolitan Council on Jewish Poverty, located at 80 Maiden Lane, 21st Floor, New York, NY 10038. The funding would be used to expand Met Council's career services programs in New York City, including several locations in Brooklyn. These programs include vocational counseling and assessments, training Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT) and placing them in jobs, retraining laid-off IT workers and placing them in jobs, matching advanced level IT professionals with scientific research jobs for a new career niche, and computer literacy training. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Edolphus "Ed" Towns
Member of Congress

EDOLPHUS "ED" TOWNS

MEMBER OF CONGRESS
10TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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March 19, 2008

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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Bedford-Stuyvesant YMCA Teen Entrepreneurship Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Bedford-Stuyvesant YMCA, located at 1121 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11216. The funding would be used for the YMCA of Greater New York and its branches conduct development and fundraising that continues to attract new partners, including corporate support, government support and contributions from private donors. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Edolphus "Ed" Towns
Member of Congress

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March 12, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
Room H-218, the Capital
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 LHOB
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Representative Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Service Expansion in Sandoval County in the fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Adelante Development Center, located at 4100 Southern Blvd. SE Building B, Rio Rancho, NM 87124. The funding would be used to extend services into Sandoval County to help disabled individuals live independently, to work, and to have an income through school-to-work transition programs, supported employment, and affirmative businesses. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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Member of Congress

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March 14, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
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Room H-218, the Capital
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 LHOB
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Dear Chairman Obey and Representative Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Connect Navajo in the fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Navajo Nation Department of Information Technology, located at P.O. Box 5970 Window Rock, Navajo Nation, Arizona 86515. The funding would be used to develop and improve the IT infrastructure on the Navajo Nation, connecting communities, local businesses, and homes in rural areas.. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Tom Udall
Member of Congress

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The Honorable Jose E. Serrano
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on Financial Services
Room B-300 RHOB
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Subcommittee
on Financial Services
Room RHOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for the Germantown Biotechnology Project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Montgomery College, located at 20200 Observation Drive, SA-120, Germantown, MD, 20876. This project encompasses several interrelated initiatives that are tied together through a unique approach to bioscience education and workforce development, including a new Bioscience Center and related technology incubator. The Germantown Biotechnology Project will have major implications for supporting the development of new small businesses in the biotech field in Montgomery County and throughout the state of Maryland. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



CHRIS VAN HOLLEN
Member of Congress

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NYDIA M. VELAZQUEZ

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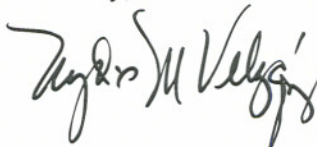
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Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the Cypress Hills Economic Revitalization Initiative in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Cypress Hills Local Development Corporation, located at 625 Jamaica Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11208. The funding would be used to conduct the Cypress Hills Economic Revitalization Initiative aimed to offer: 1) job readiness and placement services, 2) small business technical assistance, 3) a financial literacy education and technical assistance program for small business entrepreneurs; and 4) mortgage foreclosure prevention services for low and moderate income subprime borrowers. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Nydia M. Velázquez
Member of Congress

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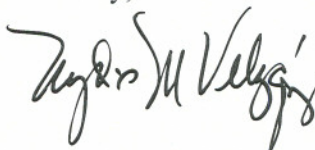
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Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for a program entitled Commission on the Future of the Latino Community in New York City in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is National Institute for Latino Policy, located at 101 Avenue of the Americas, Suite 313, New York, NY 10013. The funding would be used to establish a small business and economic development commission on the future of the Latino community in New York City. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Nydia M. Velázquez
Member of Congress

PETER J. VISCLOSKY
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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

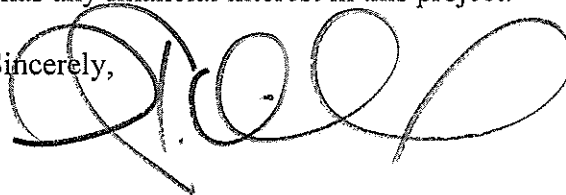
I am requesting funding for *Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana, Northwest Region - Gary Campus - for the establishment of a Center on Logistics, Distribution and Transportation* in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is **Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana, Northwest Region**, located at:

Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana
Northwest Region - Gary Campus
1440 East 35th Avenue
Gary, IN 46409

The funding would be used for the **establishment of a Center on Logistics, Distribution and Transportation at Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana, Northwest Region**. The center will train a workforce capable of working in the high-tech industries of logistics, distribution, and transportation.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Peter J. Visclosky
Member of Congress

PJV:jd

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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the University of Oregon Integrative Science Complex Phase II in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Oregon, located at the University of Oregon, 103 Johnson Hall, Eugene, OR 97403. The funding would be used for funding the technological aspects of the Integrative Science Complex, Phase 2 building. The new facility will address critical space needs and significantly enhance the university's leading educational and research programs in the sciences and UO's existing capacity as a "high tech" extension service for Oregon industry and beyond. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; and (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark. Should funding be provided to this entity, I will ask them to certify their intent to comply with all statutory obligations. Should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing the entity's plan for how the money will be spent and their justification for the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

Greg Walden
Member of Congress

JAMES T. WALSH
MEMBER OF CONGRESS
25TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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March 17, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey
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Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth HOB
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for MedTech Association Inc. in Syracuse, NY. MedTech Association Inc. would be the recipient of this funding request and they are located at 235 Harrison Street, Suite 209, Syracuse, NY 13202. This funding would be utilized for the Upstate NY Bioscience Strategic Development Initiative which would provide assistance to small businesses in the entrepreneurial bioscience sector of the economy. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this funding request.

I also hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request 1) is not directed to an entity of program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; 2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and, 3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Thank you for consideration of this priority request.

Sincerely,



James T. Walsh
Member of Congress

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Syracuse University in Syracuse, NY for their Entrepreneurial Accelerator Program. Syracuse University would be the recipient of this funding request and they are located at Office of Government and Community Relations, 2-212 Center for Science and Technology, Syracuse, NY 13244. This funding would enable the University of Syracuse to continue its training program in Syracuse's South Side neighborhoods in support of women entrepreneurs in the inner city. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this funding request.

I also hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request 1) is not directed to an entity of program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; 2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and, 3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Thank you for consideration of this priority request.

Sincerely,



James T. Walsh
Member of Congress

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Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the National Association of Development Organizations (NADO) in Washington, D.C. NADO's Research Foundation would be the recipient of this funding request and they are located at 400 North Capitol Street, NW Suite 390, Washington, D.C. 20001. This funding would enable the NADO Research Foundation to continue its Business Development and Entrepreneurial Enhancement Initiative that will enhance business initiatives in distressed and underserved regions of the nation. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this funding request.

I also hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request 1) is not directed to an entity of program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; 2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and, 3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Thank you for consideration of this priority request.

Sincerely,



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Member of Congress

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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Manufacturers Association of Central New York (MACNY) in Syracuse, NY. MACNY would be the recipient of this funding request and they are located at One Webster's Landing, Fifth Floor, Syracuse, NY 13202. This funding would be utilized to increase the competitiveness of manufacturers and small businesses through job and workforce training initiatives. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this funding request.

I also hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request 1) is not directed to an entity of program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; 2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and, 3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Thank you for consideration of this priority request.

Sincerely,



James T. Walsh
Member of Congress

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March 13, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for the City of Chattanooga Enterprise Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Enterprise Center, located at 1250 Market Street, Suite 3020, Chattanooga, TN 37402. The funding would be used to support the Enterprise Center's initiatives in the office of Technology Development and Transfer to promote economic development in the East Tennessee region. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

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Zach Wamp
Member of Congress

DEBBIE WASSERMAN SCHULTZ

20TH DISTRICT, FLORIDA

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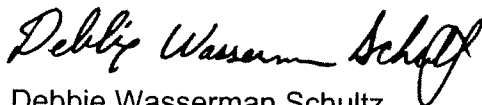
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The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Safe Kids Worldwide in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Safe Kids Worldwide, located at 1301 Pennsylvania Ave, N. W., Suite 1000, Washington, DC, 20004. The funding would be used for a child safety initiative in the Metropolitan DC area, including child occupant protection, bicycle and pedestrian safety. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Debbie Wasserman Schultz
Member of Congress

DEBBIE WASSERMAN SCHULTZ
20TH DISTRICT, FLORIDA

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March 11, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
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Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Florida Atlantic University in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Florida Atlantic University, located at 777 Glades Road, P. O. Box 3091, Boca Raton, Florida, 33431-0991. The funding would be used for a small business innovation project aimed at facilitating entrepreneurship and launching small business through the development of high-tech mobile products and services for commercialization. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Debbie Wasserman Schultz
Member of Congress

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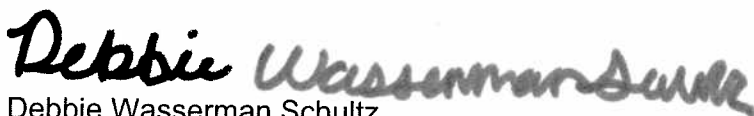
March 14, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for City of Lauderdale Lakes, Florida in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Lauderdale Lakes, Florida, located at 4300 NW 36th St. Lauderdale Lakes, Florida, 33319. The funding would be used for a business resource center and business development training program at the new County/City Library that will provide comprehensive information on small business development, business plans, finance tools, franchising opportunities along with a Business Development Training (BDT) Program. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Debbie Wasserman Schultz
Member of Congress

MAXINE WATERS

MEMBER OF CONGRESS
35TH DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

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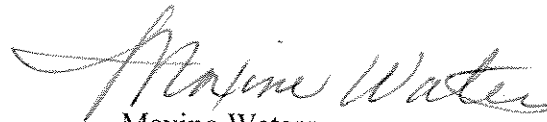
April 18, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chairman
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey & Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for the Business Skills Development Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is First Community Development Corporation (FCDC), located at 9550 Crenshaw Blvd., Inglewood, CA 90305. This funding would be used to provide a Business Skills Development Program for the community of Inglewood, California. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Maxine Waters
Member of Congress

MAXINE WATERS

MEMBER OF CONGRESS
35TH DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA

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March 17, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-218, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1016 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman and Ranking Member:

I am requesting funding for Grow Inglewood Business Development Program in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is City of Inglewood, One Manchester Blvd., Post Office Box 6500, Inglewood, CA 90312. The funding would be used to support the Grow Inglewood small business development program. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Very truly yours,



Maxine Waters
Member of Congress

ANTHONY D. WEINER
9TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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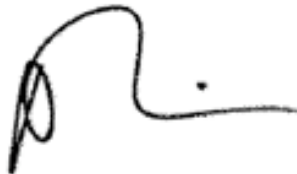
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I am requesting funds for Expand Career Services Programs project in the fiscal year 2009. The entity receiving funds for this project would be Metropolitan Council on Jewish Poverty, located at 80 Maiden Lane, 21st Floor, New York, NY, 10038. The funds would be used to expand Met Council's career services programs in New York City.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Weiner', with a horizontal line extending to the right and a period at the end.

ANTHONY D. WEINER
Member of Congress

ANTHONY D. WEINER
9TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK

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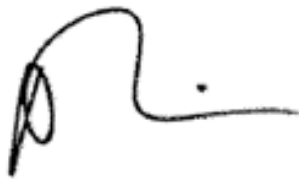
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I am requesting funds for South Brooklyn Maritime Center in the fiscal year 2009. The entity receiving funds for this project would be Kingsborough Community College, located at 2001 Oriental Boulevard, Brooklyn, NY 11235. The funds would be used to develop a Maritime Center to support the economic development, environmental preservation, and transformation of the Brooklyn shoreline.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

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ANTHONY D. WEINER
Member of Congress

JERRY WELLER

11TH DISTRICT, ILLINOIS

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SUBCOMMITTEE ON TRADE



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LATIN AMERICA AND
CARIBBEAN WORKING GROUP
(CHAIRMAN)

March 18, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
Washington DC 20515

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding in the FY09 Financial Services and General Government Appropriations bill, Small Business Administration account for Illinois State University's Expanding Exports Program. The entity to receive funding for this project is Illinois State University located at Campus Box 3040, Normal, Illinois 61790-3040. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to assist small to medium sized companies in Illinois in the expansion of exports by providing international planning, marketing, and distribution expertise. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program named or will be named after a sitting Member of Congress (exception must be justified here); (2) is not intended for a "front" or "pass through" entity; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the Congressional Record describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,

Jerry Weller
Member of Congress



ROBERT WEXLER

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

March 7, 2008

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FINANCIAL SERVICES

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:

I am requesting funding for Small Business Incubator Center, Florida Atlantic University in the amount of \$500000 in fiscal year 2009.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Florida Atlantic University, located at 777 Glades Road, Boca Raton, FL 33431.

The funding would be used to support a small business innovation collaboration among Florida Atlantic University (FAU) - Boca Raton campus, Palm Beach Community College, Broward County Community College, Harris Corporation and Palm Beach and Broward County Schools, aimed at generating new and emerging businesses.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


Robert Wexler

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CHARLES A. WILSON
6TH DISTRICT, OHIO

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515-3506

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable Jose Serrano
Chairman
Subcommittee on Financial Services
Committee on Appropriations
Room 1040A Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Ralph Regula
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Financial Services
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Serrano and Ranking Member Regula:

I am requesting funding for the Salute to Success project in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Youngstown Warren Regional Chamber located at 11 Federal Plaza Central, Suite 1600, Youngstown, Ohio 44503. The funding would be used for an entrepreneurship development initiative. I certify that I do not have any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Wilson
Member of Congress

HEATHER WILSON
1ST DISTRICT, NEW MEXICO

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March 18, 2008

The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
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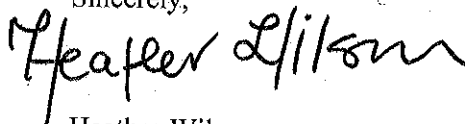
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1016 Longworth
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Adelante Development Center in fiscal year 2009. The entity to receive funding for this project is Adelante Development Center, 3900 Osuna Rd NE, Alb, NM 87109. The funding would be used to expand jobs offered through Adelante-operated businesses for people with mental illness and other disabilities. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of me or my spouse.

Consistent with the Republican Leadership's policy on earmarks, I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge this request (1) is not directed to an entity or program that will be named after a sitting Member of Congress [OR: was named after Representative John Doe in 1983]; (2) is not intended to be used by an entity to secure funds for other entities unless the use of funding is consistent with the specified purpose of the earmark; and (3) meets or exceeds all statutory requirements for matching funds where applicable. I further certify that should this request be included in the bill, I will place a statement in the *Congressional Record* describing how the funds will be spent and justifying the use of federal taxpayer funds.

Sincerely,



Heather Wilson
Member of Congress

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March 19, 2008

The Honorable David R. Obey, Chair
The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
H218, The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis:


I am requesting funding for the University of Oregon Integrative Science Complex Phase II in fiscal year 2009.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Oregon, located in Eugene, OR 97403.

The funding would be used for the technological aspects of phase II building of the Integrative Science Complex.

I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



David Wu
Member of Congress

JOHN A. YARMUTH
MEMBER OF CONGRESS
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AT-LARGE WHIP

March 19, 2008

The Honorable David Obey
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-218, The Capitol
Washington DC 20515

Dear Chairman Obey:

I am requesting funding for a business incubator project in the Fiscal Year 2009 Financial Services Appropriations bill. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Louisville Central Community Centers, located at 1300 W. Muhammad Ali Blvd, Louisville, KY 40203. This funding will be used for equipment to support the business incubator located in an impoverished neighborhood. I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any financial interest in the project.

If you have any questions, please contact my Legislative Assistant, Ashley Bromagen, at 202-225-5401.

Sincerely,


John Yarmuth
Member of Congress