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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
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Rosa L. DeLauro, Chairwoman  
Kay Granger, Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Belzoni, MS — Community Museums of African American History and Culture in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is The Rev. George Lee Museums of African American History and Heritage Civil Rights Museums located at 17150 U.S. Highway 49 N Belzoni, MS 39038. The funding would be used for partnering with other local museums to highlight Civil Rights history in the delta and community development. This project is ranked as priority number 1 for my district.

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

Sincerely,



Bennie G. Thompson  
Member of Congress