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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
House Appropriations Committee
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Office
Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Claflin University Multi-Purpose Center Renovation in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Claflin University, located at 400 Magnolia St, Orangeburg, SC 29115.

The funding would be used for renovation of a new multipurpose center at Railroad Avenue. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because funding will allow state of the art upgrades, ADA compliance, community meeting space, a training venue, and event space. Additionally, it will serve as a catalyst for downtown revitalization efforts.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1) and 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(5).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

James E. Clyburn
Member of Congress