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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-4006

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chairman Tom Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Benedict College Complex in Fiscal Year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Benedict College, located at 600 Harden Street, Columbia, SC 29204.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because the Complex will allow increased economic activities on the campus and surrounding community.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in 42 U.S.C.5305(a)(1), 5305(a)(2), 5305(a)(4), and/or 5305(a)(5).

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

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

James E. Clyburn
Member of Congress