



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

April 28, 2022

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the University of South Carolina Center for Civil Rights History and Research in fiscal year 2023 from the Subcommittee on Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies under the HUD - Economic Development Initiative (EDI) account.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of South Carolina, located at:

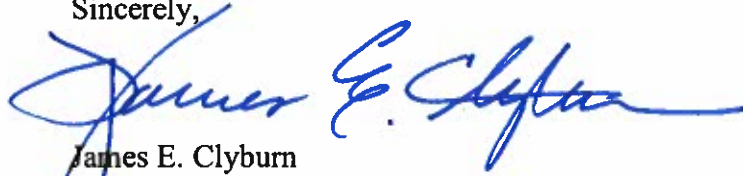
University of South Carolina  
915 Bull Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29208  
SC-06 Congressional District

The funding would be used for the planning, design, and execution of sitework and utility infrastructure phase of a construction project to house the University's Center for Civil Rights History and Research. This Center will chronicle, preserve, and share the momentous contributions of South Carolina to the American civil rights movement.

This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars as the Center for Civil Rights History and Research will deliver educational programming for students and educators, organize public engagement through conferences, workshops, and lectures, and serve as a valued repository of primary documents for civil rights scholars and university students. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,



James E. Clyburn  
Member of Congress (SC-06)