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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Chairwoman
U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Appropriations

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
U.S. House of Representatives
Committee on Appropriations

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting \$573,014 for the City of Tucson's Dunbar Pavilion and Dunbar School Arts and Culture Revitalization Initiative in fiscal year 2022.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Tucson located at 255 W. Alameda Street Tucson, AZ 85701. The location of the project is 325 W. 2nd Street Tucson, AZ 85705.

The funding will be used to provide an outdoor meeting and performance space/amphitheater as well as universal access and rehabilitation of the Paul Laurence Dunbar School. The project includes providing access to information that accurately tells the story of Black people in Tucson and Southern Arizona by preserving and celebrating the rich cultural history and future of people of African descent. The space will foster economic development initiatives by having rooms that can serve as permanent and semi-permanent office and retail space.

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

Sincerely,

Raúl M. Grijalva
Member of Congress