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**SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE
STRATEGIC COMPETITION BETWEEN
THE UNITED STATES AND THE
CHINESE COMMUNIST PARTY**

May 23, 2025

The Honorable Steve Womack
Chairman
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing and
Urban Development
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Jim Clyburn
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Transportation, Housing
and Urban Development
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
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Dear Chairman Womack and Ranking Member Clyburn,

I am requesting funding for the Center for Entrepreneurs project in the Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Cuyahoga Community College District, located at 700 Carnegie Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44115. The funding would be used to provide resources and support to help individuals and businesses succeed in their entrepreneurial pursuits. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because these enhancements will promote individual development and improve the overall quality of life in a multicultural community.

This project has a Federal Nexus because 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.

Sincerely,



Shontel M. Brown
Member of Congress