

with safe, comfortable, and accessible housing in a building listed on the National Historic Registry. The projects will provide an enhanced environment for living and learning. This project's budget is \$2.5 million. Within the budget is \$150,000 for stone and masonry work, \$300,000 for metal cornice repairs, \$250,000 for exterior painting, \$1,600,000 for windows, and \$200,000 for professional services. This request is consistent with the intended and authorized purpose of the National Park Service, Save America's Treasures account. The University of Montevallo will meet or exceed all statutory requirements for match funding where applicable

HONORING THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF JOHNSON MATTHEY INC.

HON. JIM GERLACH

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, June 25, 2009

Mr. GERLACH. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor an outstanding southeastern Pennsylvania manufacturer celebrating its 100th anniversary.

Johnson Matthey Inc. was officially incorporated on June 30, 1909 and has grown from a platinum works shop in Philadelphia to a thriving business that employs approximately 8,700 workers at operations in more than 30 countries. The company's North America headquarters is in Wayne, Pennsylvania and several plants operate throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Johnson Matthey focuses on catalysis, precious metals, fine chemicals and process technology. While the company's roots extend back to the 19th Century, Johnson Matthey has continued to develop its technology, demonstrating the company's ability to maintain world leadership by adapting constantly to rapidly changing customer needs. While adhering to rigorous environmental standards itself, Johnson Matthey products have contributed greatly to a cleaner environment and have enhanced the quality of life for millions of people around the world.

Throughout the week of June 30, 2009, Johnson Matthey management, employees, affiliate companies, parent company, and communities will commemorate the company's centennial.

Madam Speaker, I ask that my colleagues join me today in congratulating everyone at Johnson Matthey for reaching this memorable milestone and in wishing the company continued success in creating jobs and improving the quality of life across the globe.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. JO BONNER

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, June 25, 2009

Mr. BONNER. Madam Speaker, I submit the following information:

Project Name: Washington County Commission Sewer Extension

Requesting Member: Congressman JO BONNER

Bill Number: H.R. 2996

Account: STAG Water and Wastewater Infrastructure Project

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Washington County Commission

Address of Requesting Entity: 45 Court Street, P.O. Box 146, Chatom, Alabama 36518

Description of Request: Provide an earmark of \$500,000 for Phase II of an ongoing project for unincorporated areas of Washington County not currently served by sanitary sewers. The soils in some areas of the county are generally conducive to percolation and some areas are on soils that have higher water tables that absorb water very slowly. Approximately, \$500,000 [or 100%] of funding will be used for construction, labor and materials of a low pressure, decentralized sanitary sewer collection and treatment facility. The county is currently working on phase I of this project and phase II would construct a 30,000 GPD on-site treatment and disposal facility, collection mains, interceptor tanks and pumps to provide homes and businesses with sanitary sewer. Washington County, the most economically challenged county in the state of Alabama, is home to a new steel plant that is providing 25,000 new construction jobs and 2,000 fulltime jobs. This much needed project will allow the county to continue to grow and recruit even more industry. The Washington County Commission will provide dollar for dollar match for this project.

CARNEGIE MEDAL

HON. JOHN R. CARTER

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, June 25, 2009

Mr. CARTER. Madam Speaker, I would like to congratulate the family of Courtney E. Butler from Stephenville, who was presented with the Carnegie Medal for heroism for their daughter's bravery in attempting to save a civilian caught in a flood on a low water crossing. Miss Butler was only sixteen when she made her valiant attempt in May of last year, and was swept up and drowned in the process. It is citizens like this young girl who make me proud to serve the great people of Texas District 31 and continually inspire me, as they should everyone else who learned of her valor.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. JOHN L. MICA

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, June 25, 2009

Mr. MICA. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding an earmark I received in the amount of \$500,000 as part of the Department of the Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010, Environmental Protection Agency, STAG Water and Wastewater Infrastructure Account for the South Seminole and North Orange County Wastewater Improvement Project. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Or-

ange County Wastewater Transmission Authority located at 410 Lake Howell Road, Maitland, Florida.

This project will replace wastewater pipes and mechanical equipment that are approaching the end of their service lives. Portions of the Force Main that will be replaced are under the travel lanes of Aloma Avenue. The roadway carries 33,000 vehicles per day and a collapse of the Aloma Avenue pipe and a resulting collapse of the road would be a major public health and safety liability.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. ZACH WAMP

OF TENNESSEE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, June 25, 2009

Mr. WAMP. Madam Speaker, as a leader on earmark reform, I am committed to protecting taxpayers' money and providing greater transparency and a fully accountable process. H.R. 2996, The Fiscal Year 2010 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act contains the following funding that I requested:

Requesting Member: Rep. ZACH WAMP
Account: National Park Service—Construction

Legal Name Entity Receiving Funding: Moccasin Bend National Archeological District
Address: Moccasin Bend Road, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37405

Description of Request: Moccasin Bend National Archeological District, a unit of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, has a rich and varied cultural history with evidence of occupation dating back to the earliest human cultures in North America. Moccasin Bend was designated as a unit of the National Park Service to preserve the area's rich heritage for future generations. There are no facilities for public enjoyment of these nationally significant resources. Moccasin Bend National Archeological District received \$500,000 for design and construction of an Interpretive Center and educational exhibits to promote awareness of the archeological district.

Distribution of funding:

Design development and construction 100%
Requesting Member: Rep. ZACH WAMP

Account: Environmental Protection Agency-State and Tribal Assistance Grant

Legal Name Requesting Entity: City of Harrogate, Tennessee

Address: 138 Harrogate Crossing, Harrogate, Tennessee 37752

Description of Request: The Mayor and City Council of Harrogate requested funding to extend a wastewater collection system to the Tri-State Health and Rehabilitation Center, residences and businesses. Upgraded sewer capabilities are critical to support the increasing residential and commercial development in Harrogate. The proposed expansion will allow residents in the area to have safe, adequate wastewater service. The City of Harrogate received \$500,000 for the wastewater improvements.

Distribution of funding:

Construction—83%

Survey/Fees—1%

Engineering—6%

Inspection—3%