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Washington, D.C. -- Fourth District Rep. Nick Rahall (D-WV) today announced a cooperative agreement the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development and the Huntington Human Relations Commission for a award of \$75,000 under the Fair Housing Assistance Program.

"This program will provide funds to support a specialized fair housing enforcement project proposal from the Agency," Rep. Rahall said. "This program is to provide education to children in grades 1 through 12 about non-discrimminatory housing practices, a program which is intended to increase the awareness of school-age children of the basic civil rights of all citizens."

"I have worked closely with City Manager Steve Williams and Carole Boster of the Huntington Human Relations Commission and I am very pleased that this agreement has been reached," Rahall said. "I would like to commend Ms. Boster for her grant proposal."