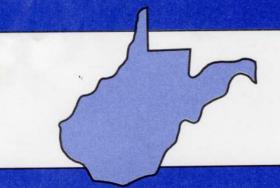
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BECKLEY HOUSING GROUP RECEIVES HUD FUNDING

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- U.S. Rep. Nick Rahall (D-WV) today announced that the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has awarded \$42,800 to the Beckley Human Rights Commission.

The grant is part of HUD's Fair Housing Assistance program. The money will be used to support the agency's housing discrimination complaint processing efforts and to train personnel.

"The people at the Beckley Human Right Commission do some very important work. To be the one who speaks up for those who have no voice is a sometimes thankless task. I applaud their work and hope this grant will help them," said Rahall.