WASHINGTON, D.C. – Congressman Charlie Wilson (OH-6) is pleased to announce that the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development is awarding The Athens Metropolitan Housing Authority a grant of $40,867 and the City of Marietta Public Housing Authority a grant of $43,785. The grants are Housing Choice Vouchers – Family Self Sufficiency program awards.

The program promotes development of local strategies to coordinate public and private assistance that enable families to achieve economic independence.

“Families are looking for a hand up and not a hand out,” Wilson said. “These programs do exactly that.”

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