Funding will support efforts to build economic self-sufficiency for low-income families

WASHINGTON – Congresswoman Louise Slaughter (NY-28), today announced that the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has awarded more than $230,000 in grants to the Rochester Housing Authority and more than $24,000 to the City of North Tonawanda – Belmont Housing Resources. The grants are designed to promote economic independence, self-sufficiency and financial literacy for low-income families.

"At a time when there are concerted efforts to deny segments of the population equal access to the American dream, I am happy to welcome these resources from HUD to Rochester and North Tonawanda," said Slaughter. "Every American family deserves access to resources that can help them become self-sufficient and enjoy all the benefits of this great nation. I am pleased to congratulate the Rochester Housing Authority and the City of North Tonawanda – Belmont Housing Resources and I will continue to fight to help bring resources back to the hard working people of Western New York."