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**Rep. Slaughter Secures \$200,000 for Rehabilitation of GROUP Ministries Community Services**

**BUFFALO, NY** - Congresswoman Louis

"GROUP Ministries plays an essential role providing critical support and services to some

"We appreciate Congresswoman Slaughter's support to not only improve the building, said Reverend Arthur B

## BACKGROUND:

### About GROUP Ministries

GROUP Ministries, Inc. was established in 1992 with three employees and has grown to now employ

Nine programs are run out of the Building on Jefferson Ave. These programs address issues like s

GROUP Ministries is funded through the New York State Department of Health, the US Health Res

### About the

### Community

The GROUP Ministries building was built in the early 1900s and spans a quarter block along Jefferson

While the building is structurally sound, the exterior has deteriorated with time and requires restoratio

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