

Congresswoman Louise Slaughter (NY-28) announced that the Genesee Country Village & Museum has received a \$400,000 grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) to fund a state-of-the-art storage center for the museum's superb collections of fine art and historical artifacts.

Charles C. Kolb, NEH senior program director, said that the museum's submission was considered to be one of the best applications submitted, and NEH asked permission to post the narrative on-line as a model for other applicants.

"The Genesee Country Village & Museum is an asset for our community that we must continue to support," said Slaughter, "so I'm delighted to have helped them secure \$400,000 from the National Endowment for the Humanities. The collection of sporting art at the museum is one of the best in the world, and the presentation and preservation of its treasures will benefit Western New Yorkers for years to come."

The Genesee Country Village & Museum received the maximum amount awarded as part of the 2010 Sustaining Cultural Heritage Collections grants. They were also awarded \$150,000 from the Institute for Library and Museum Services.

Slaughter has supported the Genesee Country Village and Museum and wrote to the National Endowment for the Humanities and the Institute for Library and Museum Services supporting their requests.

Click [here](#) for more on the Genesee Country Village and Museum.