Dear Representative Click,

My name is Adama Samba and I am a resident of Cincinnati Ohio. I am writing to respectfully submit my written testimony regarding House Bill 585 and the Community Capital Assistance Funds for the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities. I am a mother of 5 which my youngest is a 9 year old autistic son that really needs a better housing environment.

I strongly support continued investment in programs and facilities that serve individuals with developmental disabilities. These resources play an important role in improving quality of life, providing safe environments, and ensuring that individuals and families receive the support they need within our communities.

Funding through the Community Capital Assistance Program helps organizations maintain and improve facilities that provide critical services. Supporting this funding helps strengthen communities and ensures that individuals with developmental disabilities have access to appropriate care, housing, and support.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my testimony and for your work serving the people of Ohio.