Washington, DC – Congressman Charlie Wilson (OH-6), a member of the House Financial Services Committee remains hopeful that Congress will pass a package of bridge loans for GM, Ford and Chrysler. Wilson released the following statement after attending today's committee hearing to "Review the Auto Industry's Plans to Stabilize the Financial Condition of the American Automobile Industry:"

"I think it's a good investment because it's not taxpayer money for the automobile industry, it's taxpayer money for America, it's for the working families," Wilson said. "I was very happy. It seemed that all three CEOs from GM, Ford and Chrysler were much more engaged and much more responsive to the questions from our committee today. And the United Auto Workers were super in saying that they were willing to step forward and do their part."