RECOVERY FUNDS AT WORK IN OHIO'S SIXTH DISTRICT

Wilson Announces Over $1 Million in Recovery Funds for Sixth District Shipyard

WASHINGTON, DC – Congressman Charlie Wilson (OH-6) is pleased to announce that the U.S. Department of Transportation will be awarding funding to a shipyard within Ohio's Sixth District under the Recovery Act. The funds will be distributed through the Maritime Administration as part of the Small Shipyards Grant Program. McGinnis, Inc., a shipyard in South Point, Ohio, will be receiving $1,420,069 for infrastructure improvements, including a table for cutting plasma, welding items, a press brake, and an angle bending roll.

"This is great news for McGinnis," Wilson said. "This investment in better equipment and technology will create jobs, and also improve the efficiency and quality of ship construction and repair at McGinnis."