

**Recipient**

Sheffield Housing Authority

**Project Name**

Blighted Housing and Facilities Demolition, Sheffield, AL, Colbert County, AL04

**Address**

505 North Columbia Ave., Sheffield, AL 35660

**Amount Requested**

\$225,000

**Project Explanation**

Funding for the Blighted Housing and Facilities Demolition, Sheffield, AL, Colbert County, AL04, would be used for demolishing ten blighted structures in the City of Sheffield for the purpose of building affordable housing which will directly benefit low-income persons and providing for future business growth.

Sheffield, Alabama, has a population that has declined by 30% over the last 50 years. As the population relocated many businesses and homes were left vacant and deteriorating. Sheffield is landlocked by the cities of Muscle Shoals and Tuscumbia, and by the Tennessee River, meaning there is little land for new development. In recent years, the City of Sheffield has worked tirelessly and successfully to renovate the downtown and to entice new businesses to the City. However, the presence of these many derelict structures means there is no room for expansion, and they are a visual deterrent to new growth.

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**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Washington, DC**

April 30, 2021

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Blighted Housing and Facilities Demolition, Sheffield, AL, Colbert County, AL04 in fiscal year 2022. The entity to receive funding for this project is Sheffield Housing Authority, located at 505 North Columbia Ave., Sheffield, AL 35660. The funding would be used for demolishing ten blighted structures in the City of Sheffield for the purpose of building affordable housing. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert B. Aderholt".

Robert B. Aderholt  
Member of Congress