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The Honorable Norman D. Dicks
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The Honorable Todd Tiaht
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment
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United States House of Representatives
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Dear Chairman Dicks and Ranking Member Tiaht:

I am writing respectfully to request your support for the following projects in the FY2009 Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill:

1. **Civil War Battlefield Preservation Program**, \$10,000,000 for land acquisition from willing sellers to preserve the most endangered historic Civil War battle sites before they are lost to development.
2. **Adams Library of American Letters**: \$500,000 for administrative and planning costs associated with the creation of a national monument in Washington D.C. honoring President John Adams and President John Quincy Adams.

Should your office need any additional information, please contact Alicia Lee at 6-9175.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of my requests.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John Culberson".

John Culberson
Member of Congress