

JAMES C. GARDNER
4TH DISTRICT, NORTH CAROLINA

COMMITTEE ON
EDUCATION AND LABOR

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

Washington, D.C.

February 16, 1968

Honorable Dan K. Moore
Governor of North Carolina
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Governor Moore:

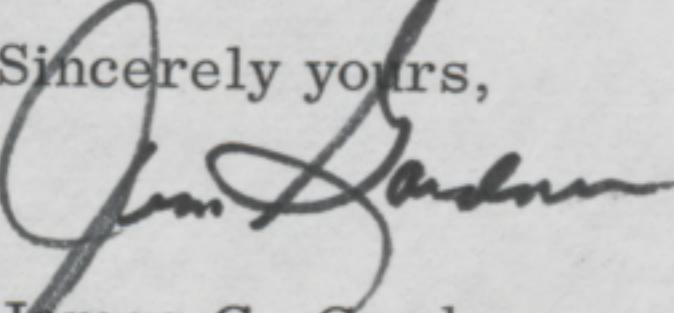
I am very disturbed at the recent outbreak in Durham, North Carolina involving the Director of Training for the Foundation Community Development, Howard Fuller.

As you know, after considerable investigation last year, I requested that your office use its influence to have Howard Fuller dismissed from the North Carolina Fund. This request was based on documented facts gathered by the Chief Investigator of the U. S. House Education and Labor Committee, tying Mr. Fuller in with last summer's violent civil rights outbursts in Durham.

It is my opinion that the North Carolina Fund is involved in many practices that are harmful for the State of North Carolina. The activities of an employee of a grantee organization of the North Carolina Fund such as Mr. Fuller inciting people to take law in their own hands is inexcusable and must be stopped.

As a U.S. Congressman and a concerned citizen, I urgently request the Governor's office to begin an immediate investigation into the activities of the North Carolina Fund and its grantee agencies. I am also writing the Director of the North Carolina Fund, Mr. George Esser urging the dismissal of Howard Fuller, an employee of the Foundation for Community Development.

I feel that this is a very serious problem confronting North Carolina, and I would hope that you would use the influence of your office to investigate this organization, particularly to see if certain activities by the North Carolina Fund are in violation of the North Carolina Charter. I am sure that you share my concern that no person or group receiving federal money should be allowed to operate under a tax free shelter and at the same time advocate violence.

Sincerely yours,


James C. Gardner
Member of Congress
Fourth District of North Carolina

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February 19, 1968

The Honorable James C. Gardner
House of Representatives
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

Dear Congressman:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of February 16 with regard to the recent disturbance in Durham, North Carolina. I am enclosing a copy of a statement I issued on that same date.

Sincerely,

Dan Moore

Enclosure

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JAMES C. GARDNER
4TH DISTRICT, NORTH CAROLINA

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.

March 9, 1968

Honorable Dan K. Moore
Governor
State of North Carolina
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Governor Moore:

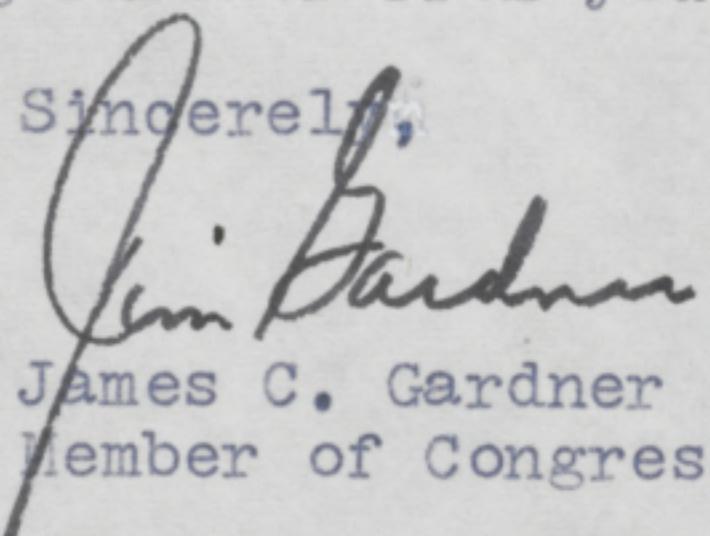
Thank you very much for your recent letter and the enclosed Statement concerning the North Carolina Fund.

While I do not wish to belabor a point, I am at a loss to understand how the State of North Carolina has no control over a corporation that has been granted a charter in the State to operate under a tax-free status. I would appreciate your office having the proper State agency furnish me with a copy of the referenced charter.

I read your statement with much interest. While I agree that everyone should be concerned, and certainly compliment those dedicated to law and order, I am disturbed that the North Carolina Fund is continually involved in problem after problem.

I shall appreciate hearing further from you,

Sincerely,


James C. Gardner

Member of Congress

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March 18, 1968

The Honorable James C. Gardner
House of Representatives
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

Dear Congressman:

Thank you for writing me with regard to my recent letter and statement concerning the incident which occurred in Durham on February 16.

In response to your expressed desire to have a copy of the charter of the North Carolina Fund, I am referring your letter to the office of the Secretary of State. I am sure his office will be happy to send you a copy of this document.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Dan Moore

bc: Clyde Smith

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Dear Senator

State of North Carolina

Department of State

Raleigh 27602

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The Honorable James C. Gardner
House of Representatives
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

Dear Congressman:

C At the request of the Honorable Dan K. Moore,
I am pleased to enclose a copy of the charter of
The North Carolina Fund.

Very truly yours,

CLYDE SMITH
Deputy Secretary of State

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Enclosure

cc: ✓ The Honorable Dan K. Moore

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