

**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Committee on Natural Resources**  
**Washington, DC 20515**

June 28, 2021

Dr. Ayana Elizabeth Johnson  
Co-Founder  
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Dear Dr. Johnson,

I am writing to thank you for appearing before the Committee on Natural Resources at our virtual legislative hearing H.R. 3764, the *Ocean-Based Climate Solutions Act of 2021*, and related bills: H.R. 660, H.R. 1415, H.R. 1689, H.R. 2750, H.R. 3160, H.R. 3228, H.R. 3692, H.R. 3748, H.R. 3817, H.R. 3864, H.R. 3892, and H.R. 3906, on Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 3:00 p.m. Your testimony was extremely helpful in defining the Committee's understanding of the issues.

We appreciate your time and insight, and we remain grateful for your contribution to the Committee's work. Should you have any questions, please contact the Subcommittee on Water, Oceans, and Wildlife Policy Aide, Ms. Casey MacLean, at (202) 875-0126.

Sincerely,



Raúl M. Grijalva  
Chair  
Committee on Natural Resources