

U.S. Representative Jim Gerlach's Statement on
Friends of the Barnes Lawsuit

WASHINGTON -Congressman Jim Gerlach (PA-06) released the following statement today regarding the lawsuit filed by the Friends of the Barnes:

"I applaud the Friends of the Barnes for their continued efforts to keep the Barnes collection at its rightful location in Lower Merion Twp. The facts of this matter make it abundantly clear that the Barnes Board of Trustees has not fulfilled its fiduciary responsibility to explore all reasonable opportunities to keep the Barnes where it is and meet both the letter and spirit of Dr. Barnes' wishes of where his collection ought to be maintained in perpetuity. I support the Friends' legal action and stand ready to assist in any other way to keep the Barnes right where it is."

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