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Congressman Danny Davis and Congresswoman Eddie Bernice Johnson, Chairs of the Congressional Black Caucus Community Reinvestment Task Force, will hold a panel discussion, "The African-American Role in the National Service Movement," tomorrow in the Cannon House Office Building.

Topics to be discussed include opportunities for African-Americans to serve and ways the African-American community can make the most of the recently-passed Edward M. Kennedy Serve America Act.

Featured panelists include:

Wendy Kopp, Founder and President of Teach For America

Colonel Robert L. Gordon III, Senior Vice President of Civic Leadership, City Year

James Cleveland, President, Jumpstart

Shirley Sagawa, Visiting Fellow, Center for American Progress.

What: "The African-American Role in the National Service Movement" Panel Discussion

Date: Wednesday, June 10, 2009

Time: 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Location: 121 Cannon House Office Building