

NBCI Asks the US Attorney's Office to Look Into the Missing \$10M Scandal on Behalf of Florida Faith-Based Organizations

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These are desperate times for our churches

WASHINGTON, DC, UNITED STATES, November 14, 2025 /EINPresswire.com -- The National Black Church Initiative. (NBCI), a coalition of 150,000 African American and Latino faith communities representing 27.7 million members, has requested that the U.S. Attorney's Office investigate the missing \$10 million scandal involving the Hope program. This is money our faith-based churches could have used for the good of humanity. We are shocked to learn that this money was diverted for political use. We now have one aim in our country, coming out of the most prolonged government shutdown in history, and trying to feed 45 million people who are food-insecure. Those \$ 10 million could have gone a long way in addressing the nutritional needs of families in Florida and across the nation.



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This scandal does not sit well with many non-profits across the nation, whereas we are being asked more and more to tackle the government with nothing but straws.

The Hope Program is designed to connect eligible residents with churches and other charities across Florida that offer alternative services intended to replace cash assistance programs, and also awards cash grants to organizations supporting similar causes. The State Department of Children and Families oversees the logistics for the project, and the agency also created a nonprofit foundation to handle fundraising and grants privately.

ABOUT NBCI

The National Black Church Initiative (NBCI) is a coalition of 150,000 African American and Latino churches, comprising 27.7 million members, that works to eradicate racial disparities in healthcare, technology, education, housing, and the environment. NBCI's mission is to provide critical wellness information to all of its members, congregants, churches, and the public. The National Black Church Initiative's methodology utilizes faith and sound health science. We also offer our member congregants and the public helpful, science-based tips on developing and maintaining a healthy lifestyle.

The National Black Church Initiative's purpose is to partner with major organizations and officials whose primary mission is to reduce racial disparities in various areas, as cited above. NBCI provides faith-based, innovative, and cutting-edge solutions to complex economic and social challenges. Credible statistical analysis, science-based strategies and techniques, and proven methods guide NBCI's programs.

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