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The following centennial proposal is certified as eligible for Centennial Challenge funding consideration in fiscal year 2008. Funding for the Centennial Challenge requires legislation.

Lowell's 2nd Revolution: Inspiring the Next Generation;

Location: Lowell, Massachusetts

Partner(s): University of Massachusetts Lowell

Partner Website: www.uml.edu

Total Cost: \$3,917,000

Proposal # 137800

Summary: “**Lowell’s 2nd Revolution**” connects youth and the public with real places, compelling stories and hands-on experiences. Visitors will be immersed within Lowell’s dynamic historical setting: a 19th century working textile mill, riding the rails of an historic trolley, and navigating Lowell’s waterways. Centennial funds would be utilized to redesign and make infrastructure improvements to the historic “Boott Mill” and other connected sites. An engaging process has been developed that will lead to the design and construction of exhibits, learning centers (land and water), and enhanced technology and media materials. The program will be carried out with our long-term partner, the University of Massachusetts, who has submitted a commitment letter supporting programmatic and infrastructure improvements over the next two years.

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