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The Honorable Kay Granger Chairwoman House Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the Educating the NASA STEM Workforce Pipeline project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Old Dominion University Research Foundation, located at 4111 Monarch Way Suite 204, Norfolk, VA 23508.

The funding is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will Both portions of the project will address the need for a highly-trained STEM workforce and education pipeline in the uncrewed aircraft systems (UAS) field.

This project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 20102 of title 51, United States Code.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Wexton Member of Congress