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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
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H-305, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

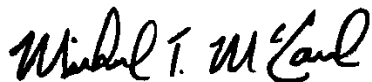
I am requesting funding for Engineered Solutions for Pediatric Devices in fiscal year 2027. The entity to receive funding for this project is Prairie View A&M University, located at 700 University Drive, Prairie View, Texas, 78701, United States.

The purpose of this project request is to provide \$4.5 million to establish the Space Workforce Innovation and Training Hub at Prairie View A&M University. The project aims to modernize lab infrastructure, expand rocket and satellite testing, and develop advanced training in AI and robotics. This is a valuable use of taxpayer funds because it positions this leading HBCU as a national hub for space innovation.

The 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 I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Michael T. McCaul
Member of Congress