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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  
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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

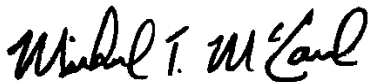
I am requesting funding for Multi-Domain Range Modernization Project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Texas A&M University System, located at 301 Tarrow Street, College Station, Texas, 77840, United States.

The funding would be used to support the Multi-Domain Range Modernization Program, a national initiative to expand measurement science and testing capabilities for long-range imaging and directed energy (DE) technologies critical to national defense. This project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it enables a strategic investment in national defense capabilities which is crucial for advancing U.S. capabilities in threat detection, secure communications, hypersonics, autonomy, and counter-UAS systems through cutting-edge measurement and imaging research.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purpose authorized by section 272 of title 15, 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