



Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-6502

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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
2207 Rayburn House Office Building
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
2413 Rayburn House Office Building
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Quantum Computing Breakthrough Against Cancer project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Maryland Center at Bowie State University located at 14000 Jericho Park Rd., Bowie, MD 20715. This funding will be used to acquire a quantum computer to assist in revolutionary cancer research. Quantum computing will be instrumental in overcoming longstanding challenges in cancer research, such as limited treatment effectiveness and data management bottlenecks.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is consistent with purposes authorized in section 272 of title 15, United States Code.

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

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steny Hoyer", with a stylized, flowing script.

STENY H. HOYER