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NEW DEMOCRAT COALITION

May 10, 2024

Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

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

Dear Chair Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the TTUHSC El Paso Oncology Center Research Initiative project in fiscal year 2025.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center El Paso, located at 5001 El Paso Drive El Paso, TX 79905. The funding would be used to acquire research equipment such as linear accelerators, or LINAC, to research the biological and therapeutic effects of varying dose of radiations on the body.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because advances scientific research, expands medical knowledge and cancer research, supports academic research that improves cancer treatment, assist industry in the development of technology and procedures needed to improve quality of cancer care, and ultimately saves lives, benefiting both current and future generations.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 272 of title 15, U.S.C.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Veronica Escobar".

Member of Congress