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Congress of the United States
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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chairman
Committee on Appropriations
H-307 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 the University of Kentucky Graphite Manufacturing and Characterization Project in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Kentucky, located at 2540 Research Park Drive Lexington, Kentucky 40511.

The funding would be used to purchase equipment for the analytical characterization and prototype manufacturing of graphite.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized in 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Andy Barr".

Andy Barr
Member of Congress