



UNITED STATES  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

April 28, 2021

The Hon. Rosa L. DeLauro  
Chairwoman  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Hon. Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

As you draft fiscal year 2022 appropriations legislation, I write to request consideration of the following Community Project Funding request submitted to my office:

**University of Wisconsin – Madison Next Generation Scanning High-Resolution Interferometer Sounder (S-HIS) Aircraft Instrument**

- **Amount:** \$1,200,000
- **Recipient:** University of Wisconsin – Madison
- **Address:** 97 Bascom Hall  
500 Lincoln Drive  
Madison, WI 53706
- **Purpose:** This award would support the development of a next generation aircraft instrument that has been used by NASA, NOAA, and the Dept. of Energy for more than 20 years. The S-HIS is recognized as a key government asset that is crucial for weather satellite calibration validation and studying weather phenomenon such as hurricanes and severe storms.

I thank you for your full and fair consideration of this request. I certify neither I, nor my immediate family, have any financial interest in this Community Project Funding request, and I have made this request publicly available on my website at the following address: <https://pocan.house.gov/community-and-member-designated-project-requests>. Please do not hesitate to contact me anytime with any questions or concerns, and your staff may contact David Bagby of my staff at (202) 225-2906 or david.bagby@mail.house.gov.

Sincerely,

Mark Pocan  
Member of Congress