

Bill Number: HR 2638.

Account: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Defense-wide Account.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: the Gallo Prostate Cancer Center, University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey.

Address of Requesting Entity: Cancer Institute of New Jersey, 195 Little Albany & Somerset St., Room 2002, Newark, NJ 08901-1998.

Description of Request: Funding support is requested for key projects for the Cancer Institute of New Jersey to address national goal of eradicating cancer, including prostate cancer which is the second leading cause of cancer death in American men. Our proposed initiatives are The Dean and Betty Gallo Prostate Cancer Center, which seeks to eradicate prostate cancer through research, treatment, education and prevention; the Center for Imaging, Structures and Function, which will provide state of the art image analysis crucial to the overall applications of cancer research; a Center for Cancer Bioinformatics, which combines theoretical biology, computer science, mathematics and physics with cancer research expertise; the LIFE Center, which coordinates efforts in the eradication of breast cancer; and our plans to merge and enhance the radiation oncology capabilities to create a unified, academically and clinically strong program for the citizens of New Jersey.

By targeting breast and prostate cancer, through developing novel cancer bioinformatics approaches to identify new biomarkers for therapy and prevention and through developing new technologies and approaches in molecular imaging, computational, informatics and systems biology, this project will contribute to the national goals of the elimination of death and suffering from cancer and to the enhanced discovery, development and delivery of novel means of cancer diagnosis, prevention and treatment.

Detailed Financial Plan:

The total cost of this program has been valued at \$2.4 million and funding will go toward:

1. Personnel Costs: \$1,339,990.
2. Equipment: \$643,197.

ABI Prism 7900 HT with Robot (SNP analysis): \$126,275.

Web and Database Servers: \$6,991.

Micro PET, CT, High speed cell sorters: \$249,942.

Confocal Microscope. Lasers, workstations: \$196,622.

Computer pilot modules for testing: \$758.

Video conference equipments for case research: \$62,609.

3. Consultant Costs: \$28,756.

4. Supplies: \$153,934.

Molecular Biology Reagents, antibodies, cell culture reagents, animal costs, chemicals, dissecting instruments: \$97,520.

Fluorescent labeled primers, enzymes, PCR kits: \$4,240.

Invitrogen, well plates, cell lifters, toxins, lab and chemical supplies: \$52,174.

5. Travel for Principal Investigators: \$14,298.

6. Other Expenses: \$219,825.

HONORING MATTHEW JOSEPH
DOETZL

HON. SAM GRAVES

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Mr. GRAVES. Madam Speaker, I proudly pause to recognize Matthew Joseph Doetzel of Kansas City, Missouri. Matthew is a very special young man who has exemplified the finest qualities of citizenship and leadership by taking an active part in the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 1261, and earning the most prestigious award of Eagle Scout.

Matthew has been very active with his troop, participating in many scout activities. Over the many years Matthew has been involved with scouting, he has not only earned numerous merit badges, but also the respect of his family, peers, and community.

Madam Speaker, I proudly ask you to join me in commending Matthew Joseph Doetzel for his accomplishments with the Boy Scouts of America and for his efforts put forth in achieving the highest distinction of Eagle Scout.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. J. GRESHAM BARRETT

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information for publication in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD regarding earmarks I received as part of the House amendments to Senate amendments to H.R. 2638, Consolidated Security, Disaster Assistance and Continuing Appropriations Act.

Name of Requesting Member: GRESHAM BARRETT.

Bill Number: H.R. 2638.

Account Number: 31 0603003A Aviation Advanced Technology.

Name and address of requesting entity: The entity to receive funding for this project is Aviation Advanced Technology located in Anderson, Laurens, and Oconee counties, South Carolina.

Description of earmark including amount and spending plan: Requested amount of \$1.28 million. This funding will be used to develop programs to improve transmission capabilities of military rotorcraft platforms. Such programs to enhance the performance of military rotorcraft platforms such as the Chinook, Apache, and Blackhawk would benefit significantly from the availability of a demonstrated, high performance gear material system technology. This project will develop advanced gear material systems for helicopter power transmissions. The program will quantify performance enhancements resulting from the implementation of advanced steels incorporating various technologies against the current state of the art material system. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of my spouse or me.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. CHRISTOPHER H. SMITH

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey. Madam Speaker, I submit the following:

Requesting Member: Rep. CHRISTOPHER H. SMITH.

Bill Number: H.R. 2638.

Account: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Defense-Wide Account.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Monmouth University's Rapid Response Institute.

Address of Requesting Entity: 400 Cedar Avenue, West Long Branch, NJ 07764.

Description of Request: Monmouth University's Rapid Response Institute (RRI) is requesting funding to develop and prototype a "Rapid Information Sharing for Consequence Management and Decision Support" data base system that will enable Joint Warning and Reporting Network (JWARN), Joint Effects Model (JEM) and other military classified systems to effectively share tactical information (plume spread, chemical identity, voice and video, GIS map information, etc.) in real time in support of catastrophic events without disclosing the classified source of the information.

The project will evaluate the software's ability to improve the effectiveness of military (including National Guard) preparedness and its support to the civilian first responders. Prototyping will include Defense and National Guard assets and standards in partnership with the National Guard's Northeast Regional Response Center and the Army Communications and Electronics Life Cycle Management Command.

Detailed Financial Plan: "Rapid Information Sharing for Consequence Management and Decision Support":

1. Labor: Monmouth University Employees Principal Investigators: \$225,000.00.

Program Management/Instructor/Project Management: \$175,000.00.

Faculty Researchers /Adjuncts: \$200,000.00.

Technical Writer & Admin Support: \$62,000.00.

Technical Research Support: \$96,000.00.

Student Employment/Assistantships: \$75,000.00.

MU University Labor Costs: \$833,000.00.

2. Fringe Costs: MU Fringe 26.6% approved HHS (no Student Salaries): \$201,628.00.

3. Overhead Costs: MU Overhead 55.5% approved HHS (All MU Salaries): \$462,315.00.

4. PHD Program Support: PHD Program Support Drexel—Lauren Landrigan (Army SEC): \$100,000.00.

5. Small Business Set Aside: Contracted Professional Services (SB,SDB—): \$300,000.00.

Travel and Supplies for SB/SDB: \$20,525.00.

6. SubContracts and MIPR: CERMUSA-St. Francis Loretto, Pa: \$400,000.00.

JSTO Battle Space Management ECBC, APG: \$350,000.00.

PEOC3T SPO/NRRC, Ft Dix: \$100,000.00.

SubContract/MIPR: \$850,000.00.

7. Materials, Equipment and Supplies: Communications (Satellite, Direct TV, Cable, VTC): \$400,000.00.

Software Licenses and Maintenance: \$25,000.00.

Equipment Computers for Technology Interoperability: \$35,000.00.

Joint Mobile Command Truck—Maintenance Equip. upgrade: \$50,000.00.

Materials, inks, copying, documentation: \$40,000.00.

Total Materials and Supplies: \$190,000.00.

8. Travel: Inter Location—APG, Ft. Dix, Philadelphia and Loretto PA: \$25,000.00.

Conferences and Workshops: \$20,000.00.

Local University Meetings: \$5,532.00.

Total Travel: \$50,532.00.

9. DTRA: DTRA Processing Fees: \$192,000.00.

Total Project Costs: \$3,200,000.00.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. STEVAN PEARCE

OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Mr. PEARCE. Madam Speaker, Pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information for publication in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2638, The Consolidated Security, Disaster Assistance, and Continuing Appropriations Act, 2009 of which:

\$7,000,000 shall be appropriated to New Mexico Tech for the Magdalena Ridge Observatory (MRO) under the RDTE, Navy Account.

Contact: Office of Naval Research 875 North Randolph Street, Suite 1425, Code 03T, Arlington, VA 22203-1995.

MRO requires specialized capabilities to develop and support advanced instrumentation and telescopes for use in astronomical and Department of Defense missions. The use of smart instrumentation provides a means of reducing costs, maintaining expertise, and providing long term operational assurance and education benefits. Recent events have highlighted the need to image objects in various locations. A single stand-alone telescope is essential to locating targets of interest but a multi-telescope interferometer is needed to form model independent images.

\$5,000,000 shall be appropriated to New Mexico State University for UAV Systems Operations Validation Program.

Contact: Office of the Secretary of Defense CTEIP Program Manager.

Building upon the strong capabilities and broad expertise developed under the USOVP, this project will focus and address requirements for small to mid size UAS—a critical need identified by the DoD. Currently, USOVP provides DoD an environment in which to evaluate operations and performance of UAV platforms and systems in civil airspace. USOVP is headquartered at the Las Cruces International Airport with partners in AK and HI. USOVP demonstrations of UAV flights in civil airspace, both long distance and regional, are used to advance the integration of UAS in the NAS.

\$4,000,000 shall be appropriated to General Atomics for the Holloman High Speed Test Track.

Contact: US Air Force/USAF 846th Test Squadron, Holloman AFB, Holloman High

Speed Test Track 1521 Test Track Rd., Holloman AFB, NM 88330.

This effort continues the development and construction of the prototype magnetic levitation test track to support high speed test operations at Holloman AFB, NM. This project will continue to deliver to the Air Force and US Government test community the capability of conducting high speed (up to mach 9) testing of critical missile, propulsion, and sensor subsystems in a vibration-free environment while reducing the need to conduct expensive and time-consuming flight tests.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. J. GRESHAM BARRETT

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information for publication in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD regarding earmarks I received as part of the House amendments to Senate amendments to H.R. 2638, Consolidated Security, Disaster Assistance and Continuing Appropriations Act.

Name of Requesting Member: Gresham Barrett.

Bill Number: H.R. 2638.

Account Number: 33 0603005A Combat Vehicle and Automotive Advanced Technology.

Name and address of requesting entity: The entity to receive funding for this project is TC Designs, LLC., located in Charleston and Pickens, South Carolina.

Description of earmark including amount and spending plan: I am requesting \$2.0 million of funding. This funding will be used for floor protection for Humvees for increased IED countermeasure protection for US military personnel. The Humvees will receive a Tom Cat V-shaped hull with integral up armor that is less than 800 pounds. The unique design of this hull protection is specifically designed to be light enough for the Humvee, but strong enough to resist and deflect blast. I certify that this project does not have a direct and foreseeable effect on the pecuniary interests of my spouse or me.

HONORING THOMAS EDGAR ROTH

HON. SAM GRAVES

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Mr. GRAVES. Madam Speaker, I proudly pause to recognize Thomas Edgar Roth of Weatherby Lake, Missouri. Thomas is a very special young man who has exemplified the finest qualities of citizenship and leadership by taking an active part in the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 1261, and earning the most prestigious award of Eagle Scout.

Thomas has been very active with his troop, participating in many scout activities. Over the many years Thomas has been involved with scouting, he has not only earned numerous merit badges, but also the respect of his family, peers, and community.

Madam Speaker, I proudly ask you to join me in commending Thomas Edgar Roth for

his accomplishments with the Boy Scouts of America and for his efforts put forth in achieving the highest distinction of Eagle Scout.

MEMORIAL TRIBUTE IN RECOGNITION OF THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BEIRUT BOMBING

HON. KIRSTEN E. GILLIBRAND

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Mrs. GILLIBRAND. Madam Speaker, it is with a heavy heart that I rise today to recognize the sacrifices of the servicemembers who lost their lives on October 23, 1983, when terrorists bombed the barracks housing American and French troops in Beirut, Lebanon. On that day, 241 American servicemen lost their lives: 220 Marines, 18 Navy personnel and 3 Army soldiers.

I would like to pay special tribute to two servicemembers from my district—Corporal James J. Jackowski of Salem, and Corporal Ronald L. Shallo of Hudson. Their ultimate sacrifice is a debt that can never be recovered or repaid—only honored.

While our great nation suffered from that attack, the families of fallen servicemembers continue to feel the pain from that day. A candlelight vigil honoring those who fell in Beirut that day will be held October 23, 2008 near Camp Lejeune in Jacksonville, NC. My thoughts and prayers are and will be with those family members on this 25th anniversary of that dreadful day.

Madam Speaker, I join my colleagues today in expressing my deepest sympathy to the family members of all of the fallen servicemembers from the Beirut bombing and wish them solace in their time of healing.

RECOGNIZING COL MARCUS LUNDY POWELL, JR.

HON. ROBERT J. WITTMAN

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Mr. WITTMAN of Virginia. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Col. Marcus Lundy Powell, Jr. who was born in Mecklenburg County, VA, and will turn 90 years old on October 9, 2008. Mr. Powell graduated from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, which today is known as Virginia Tech, in 1939. Upon his graduation he was commissioned a 2nd lieutenant in the U.S. Army and was assigned to the 8th Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, under Col. James Van Fleet.

Just five years later at the age of 25 he was a company commander who lead troops in the first wave onto Utah Beach at Normandy, on D-Day; June 6, 1944. Mr. Powell would go onto to tirelessly serve on the front lines of many of the most hard-fought battles in the European Theater including the Battle of Huertgen Forest. He also served on the first day of the Battle of the Bulge.

Following the close of the Second World War Mr. Powell would be stationed as an Aide-de-camp to Gen. James Van Fleet from 1946–48 in Athens, Greece, during the Greek War. From 1955–57 he served as Deputy