

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. SHELLEY MOORE CAPITO

OF WEST VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

Mrs. CAPITO. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 3326—Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2010.

Awarded under: RDTE

Alcan Aluminum Armor Project, Alcan Rolled Products Ravenswood, PO Box 68, Ravenswood, WV 26164

Funding will go towards developing advanced armor more resilient against attacks, providing troops in the field with better protection.

Awarded under: RDTE,A

Direct Carbon Fuel Cell, DCFC for DoD L.C.N College of Engineering/ECE Dept. 405 Fayette Pike Montgomery, WV 24136

To develop a portable power generating system with a fuel processor that is capable of extracting carbon from coal

Awarded under: RDTE,A

Project National Shield Integration Center, Mid-Atlantic Technology Research and Innovation Center, 3200 Kanawha Turnpike, Charleston, WV 25303

The purpose of the PNS program is to establish a nationally integrated system-of-systems framework that can effectively protect the nation against terrorist attacks and provide an effective collaborative system of command, control and communications that will assist any effected region of the United States to deal with the effects of natural or man-made disasters on our population and critical infrastructure.

GENERAL LEAVE STATEMENT ON
H.R. 2920—CONSIDERED 7/22/2009
THE STATUTORY PAY-AS-YOU-GO
ACT OF 2009

SPEECH OF

HON. GARY C. PETERS

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, July 22, 2009

Mr. PETERS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today as a proud co-sponsor of H.R. 2920, the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go Act of 2009. This important legislation will establish mandatory “pay-as-you-go” budget discipline, rein in deficit spending, and reduce the national debt.

This bill requires Congress to offset the cost of increases in most mandatory spending or tax cuts with savings elsewhere in the budget to avoid increasing the national budget deficit. If the net effect of legislation enacted during a session of Congress increases the deficit, there would be an across-the-board reduction in certain mandatory programs. This fiscally

responsible legislation includes carefully crafted, necessary provisions allowing Congress to take emergency action exempt from PAYGO rules in response to extreme circumstances such as war, economic crises, or other emergencies.

Establishing a pay-as-you-go law is critical to restoring fiscal responsibility and balanced budgets to Washington. We need targeted, responsible investments to get our economy back on track, but Congress must be required to determine how it will pay for new proposals. Pay-as-you-go legislation will ensure that Congress determines how to pay for new initiatives by searching out and cutting waste throughout the budget.

In the 1990s, pay-as-you-go budget discipline was enshrined in law and it led to record budget surpluses. After PAYGO was originally codified in 1990, total federal spending as a percentage of GDP decreased each year from 1991 through 2000. After Congress let PAYGO expire in 2002, projected surpluses of \$5.6 trillion were transformed into record deficits. Passing the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go Act of 2009 will require Congress to make the tough choices necessary to get unacceptably high budget deficits under control and avoid passing today’s costs onto our children, grandchildren, and future generations.

I am proud to support the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go Act of 2009 because it is grounded in fiscal discipline and responsibility. Families make tough budget choices to live within their means, and the government should be forced to do the same thing. I urge passage of the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go Act of 2009.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. JOHN M. MCHUGH

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

Mr. MCHUGH. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 3326, the Fiscal Year 2010 Defense Appropriations Bill.

Requesting Member: JOHN M. MCHUGH

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: Defense Health Program

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Fort Drum Regional Health Planning Organization (FDRHPO)

Address of Requesting Entity: 120 Washington Street, Suite 302, Watertown, NY 13601

Provide an earmark of \$430,000 to enable the FDRHPO to hire the necessary staff and conduct the required assessments. The health care delivery model for federal beneficiaries at Fort Drum is unique as the only MEDDAC with a division and no inpatient capabilities. The model is a military-community partnership that joins the Army medical treatment facility with community providers to augment the medical

treatment facilities primary care capability with specialty care and inpatient services. Through ongoing collaboration of the FDRHPO, access to quality health care will continue to improve, costs will be reduced, communication will continue to increase, additional resources will be leveraged and innovated cooperative health care arrangements and agreements will be tested.

Requesting Member: JOHN M. MCHUGH

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: Research and Development, Air Force

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Clarkson University and ITT

Address of Requesting Entity: Clarkson University (8 Clarkson Ave., Potsdam, NY 13699) and ITT AES (474 Phoenix Drive, Rome, NY 13441)

Provide an earmark of \$4,000,000 for Cyber Attack and Security Environment (CASE). Operating effectively in cyberspace requires a Cyber Command and Control (CC2) system to synchronize cyber attack operations, facilitate analysis of attack results including measures of effectiveness, and deconflict friendly use of cyberspace. The objective of ITT’s proposed effort is to conceptualize and demonstrate the technologies necessary to systematically coordinate, plan, and execute offensive cyber campaigns; determine effects associated with an offensive cyber weapon; monitor/evaluate events that occur in cyberspace; and ultimately achieve situational awareness of cyberspace with an overall goal of achieving dominance within that critical realm. Alpha and beta testing throughout the lifecycle of this project will occur at a secure military installation in upstate New York. A significant partner in this effort is Clarkson University through its complex networks group, its biometrics group, critical electric power/large scale systems faculty, and cryptographic protocol analysis researchers, who will provide subject matter expertise and project research. The results of the CASE effort will help form a strategic partnership between AFRL Rome and Air Force’s Global Cyberspace Integration Center (GCIC) located on LAFB, VA. The addition of funding in Fiscal Year 2010 for CASE will help demonstrate the technologies necessary to systematically coordinate, plan, and execute offensive cyber campaigns while maintaining defensive continuity.

Requesting Member: JOHN M. MCHUGH

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: Research and Development, Navy
Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Trudeau Institute

Address of Requesting Entity: Trudeau Institute, 154 Algonquin Avenue, Saranac Lake, NY 12983

Provide an earmark of \$2,000,000 for the U.S. Navy Pandemic Influenza Vaccine Program: Enhancement of Influenza Vaccine Efficacy. Prevention of seasonal and pandemic influenza remains a significant unmet need for the US armed forces. Influenza in active duty personnel and dependents compromises force readiness and impacts training. The funding

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for the proposed project will help advance the development of novel techniques for enhancing vaccine efficacy to promote Force Readiness and general health of the members of the Armed Services and their dependents.

Requesting Member: JOHN M. MCHUGH

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: Research and Development, Army
Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Syracuse Research Corporation

Address of Requesting Entity: 7502 Round Pond Road, North Syracuse, NY 13212

Provide an earmark of \$2,000,000 for the Foliage Penetrating, Reconnaissance, Surveillance, Tracking, and Engagement Radar (FORESTER). U.S. Forces currently have no radar capability to detect and track activity under foliage. FORESTER is an airborne sensor system that provides standoff and persistent wide-area surveillance of dismounted troops and vehicles moving through foliage. The Phase II funding will help transition FORESTER to the User community, and apply the technology to additional platforms and U.S. border security applications, providing U.S. forces a critical new capability to detect and track activity under foliage.

Requesting Member: JOHN M. MCHUGH

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: Research and Development, Army
Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Welch Allyn, Inc.

Address of Requesting Entity: 4341 State Street Road, Skaneateles Falls, New York 13152

Provide an earmark of \$1,000,000 for the Personal Status Monitor (Nightengale). Welch Allyn is actively working on a project to monitor the health status of a soldier, remotely communicating the data to obtain the most appropriate level of care in a forward combat environment, which is essential for medical and military strategic decision-making. The Research and Development funding for this project will allow Welch Allyn to further develop its smart sensing technologies. These technologies provide on-body sensing of physiologic parameters that can be relayed to a remote server by means of a series of wireless relay devices for notification in the case of a critical or life threatening event. Specifically, the technology consists of wearable sensors with RF communication to observation stations, doctor's offices, electronic patient records, and hospital information systems, providing anywhere, anytime access to real-time or archived patient information. Applications include deployment on individuals or groups of individuals who are subject to catastrophic physiologic events such as military personnel, public safety personnel and those with cardiovascular disease.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. PETE OLSON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

Mr. OLSON. Madam Speaker, to provide open disclosure pursuant to Republican standards on congressionally-directed funding, I am submitting the following information regarding funding that I support included in H.R. 3326, the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2010.

Requesting Member: Congressman PETE OLSON

Bill Number: H.R. 3326, the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: Other Procurement, Air Force

Name of Recipient: Texas Air National Guard

Address of Recipient: 147th Fighter Wing at Ellington Joint Reserve Base, Houston, TX 77034

Description of Request: \$2,000,000 in funding for the One Air Force/One Network Infrastructure. The funding would be used to upgrade the Air National Guard's core infrastructure of wired and wireless networks to the Air Force standard architecture. The resulting capability will significantly increase the readiness and agility of the Texas Air National Guard mission by ensuring network compatibility and interoperability across Air Guard, Air Reserve, and AF Active Duty bases.

Requesting Member: Congressman PETE OLSON

Bill Number: H.R. 3326, the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2010

Account: Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Army

Name of Recipient: University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston

Address of Recipient: 301 University Boulevard, Galveston, TX 77555

Description of Request: \$5,000,000 in funding for the National Biodefense Training Center. The funding would be used to train staff working within containment facilities across the nation. There is a major need for a systematic approach to biological safety level -3 and -4 (BSL-3, BSL-4) containment training to prepare personnel in the safe and secure handling of infectious pathogens.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. CATHY McMORRIS RODGERS

OF WASHINGTON

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the House Republican standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 3326, FY2010 Department of Defense Appropriations Act

Requesting Member: Congresswoman MCMORRIS RODGERS

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: RDTE, A

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Washington State University

Address of Requesting Entity: French Administration Building, Room 324; Pullman, WA; 99164

Description of Request: Provide \$2,000,000 to develop epigenetic biomarkers for disease in military personnel. Washington State University and the U.S. Army are focusing on the war fighter's exposure to environmental compounds utilized by the military and/or toxic materials found in war zones. The Medical Technology program element within the Department of Defense budget funds applied research required to sustain a force of healthy, medically-protected war fighters to enhance their performance in training and occupational environments.

Requesting Member: Congresswoman MCMORRIS RODGERS

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: RDTE, A

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Washington State University

Address of Requesting Entity: French Administration Building, Room 324; Pullman, WA; 99164

Description of Request: Provide \$1,500,000 for the Positron Capture and Storage project. Anti-matter positrons can be utilized in applications such as medical diagnostics (Positron Emission Tomography), defect characterization in materials, and fundamental physics research. When positrons en masse are squeezed into a single trap, the repulsion forces quickly become impossible to control. To overcome this, they will stretch a first generation trap into a tube of theoretically infinite length. The metal-coated tube walls will shield the low-density positron plasmas in each tube, thereby lowering the repulsive forces by 10,000-fold. An overall density will be achieved by miniaturization to micrometer scale. The research will benefit the U.S. Army by permitting advanced applications research into using positron energy for low earth orbit space platforms and other high altitude vehicles.

Requesting Member: Congresswoman MCMORRIS RODGERS

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: RDTE, A

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: University of Washington

Address of Requesting Entity: 301 Gerberding Hall; Seattle, WA; 98195

Description of Request: Provide \$5,800,000 for the Institute for Simulation and Interprofessional Studies project. This project enables the use of simulation technologies to improve the quality of health care education and improve patient safety. This project has a regional and Department of Defense mission. This program includes more than 6,000 active clinical faculty physicians. It will work with the Madigan Army Medical Center and the VA to demonstrate how healthcare skills training can be distributed throughout an entire region. This project will develop programs for training the global health professional workforce and leveraging these tools for the assessment and treatment of Traumatic Brain Injury and Post Traumatic Stress Disorder found in returning service personnel.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. CHRISTOPHER JOHN LEE

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 28, 2009

Mr. LEE of New York. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of the FY Defense Appropriations bill.

Requesting Member: Congressman CHRISTOPHER LEE (NY-26)

Bill Number: H.R. 3326

Account: Other Procurement, Air Force—028 Combat Training Ranges

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Northrop Grumman Amherst Systems

Address of Requesting Entity: 1740 Wehrle Drive, Buffalo, NY 14221

Description of Request: Provide an earmark of \$1,000,000 for the Air National Guard