To whom it may concern,

This is a letter of support for Alan Bergland’s R35 application entitled, “*The genetic and physiological architecture of rapid and cyclic adaptation*”. PI Bergland and are currently collaborating on a project examining adaptive evolution of phenotypic plasticity in *Daphnia pulex*. This study utilizes Daphnia from a series of ponds throughout the United Kingdom that I have previously identified and collected from.

PI Bergland proposes to collect more *Daphnia* from these same ponds for re-sequencing, phenotypic, and transcriptomic analyses. This work will be collaborative between our labs and I look forward to hosting his student(s) who will assist in these collections.

Sincerely,