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Funding for this research is through the operating budget for the two facilities, as well as, Dr. Robillard's contribution of personal time to the projects.

If you have further questions or require clarification on any of this information, please call or email and I will try to provide that information.

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