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Colleagues,

The momentum behind a 4th COVID supplement seems to be building in the Congress even more quickly than we had expected. We have received a TA request to provide rough numbers for NIH efforts **by Friday afternoon**. With regrets for adding more burdens to the intense efforts you are already engaged in, I ask that you submit a rough estimate of the first year and the five year budget for your (i) IC-specific initiative(s) and/or your (ii) proposals to contribute to economic recovery, no later than *Friday April 3 at noon*. This will be non-binding, and you are free to revise it for the submission that we already asked you for by Friday COE. The only thing we need Friday at noon is the budget – the narrative can come later in the day (or the night).

Please use the second page of the template we sent you yesterday to provide this draft budget. Send to me.