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To whom it may concern,

If the collaborative proposal submitted by Drs. Fred J. Hickernell and Simon Mak entitled

Collaborative Research: Cost-Efficient and Confident Sampling for Modern Scientific Discovery

is selected for funding by NSF, it is my intent to collaborate and/or commit resources as detailed in the Project Description or the Facilities, Equipment and Other Resources section of the proposal.

Yours sincerely,

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