



January 14, 2020

Dear Drs. Beiting and Cherry:

Congratulations on the excellent proposal that you submitted to ITMAT's Program in Comparative Animal Biology (PICAB) Pilot Grant program. I am pleased to inform you that your proposal entitled A High-throughput screen to identify metabolic modulators of intestinal innate immune signaling during infection has been selected by the PICAB Review Committee to be funded for \$30,000.00 beginning February 01, 2020.

All projects involving human subjects, animals, potentially infectious agents including human blood, blood products, body fluids or tissues must receive institutional approval prior to the use of funds. Please keep in mind that the funds will not be transferred unless you provide approval letters.

Any publications that are the direct result of funding must mention:

- **"Supported in part by the Institute for Translational Medicine and Therapeutics of the Perelman School of Medicine and the School of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania."**

- **"Research reported in this publication was supported by the National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences of the National Institutes of Health under Award Number UL1TR001878. The content is solely the responsibility of the authors and does not necessarily represent the official views of the NIH."**

You will be requested to provide updates related to your projects annually for four years so that we can track the progress of your award. We are required to report this information to NIH and the Dean.

Please have your Business Administrator contact Jason Molli, molli@upenn.edu, to arrange transfer of the funds.

The PICAB Review Committee wishes you success on the completion of your project.

Best Wishes,

John H. Wolfe, VMD, PhD

Director