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Sub: Letter of Commitment

Dear Dr. Rangwala:

Department of Technology at Elizabeth City State University (ECSU) is pleased to offer a letter of commitment in support of your submission to host an NSF REU site at George Mason University. If funded, ECSU agrees to advertise this opportunity and encourage eligible students to apply for admission. We believe that this grant will give our students additional professional development opportunities during the 10 weeks spent in the REU program.

As an HBCU we play critical role in ensuring that our students realize their full potential and that includes providing students with opportunities to explore their research interests beyond what is available at ECSU. We are eager to participate in this program and hope that it is funded so that our students may benefit from this opportunity.

If you have any further question regarding our commitment to your proposed initiative, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kuldeep S. Rawat".

Kuldeep S. Rawat, Ph.D.  
Chair/Director