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To: NSF Plant Genome Research Program

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By signing below (or transmitting electronically), I acknowledge that I am listed as a collaborator on this proposal, entitled "Genomic and Functional Analysis of Circadian Rhythms and Growth Vigor in Maize" with Z. Dr. Jeffrey Chen, as the Principal Investigator. I agree to undertake the tasks assigned to me or my organization, as described in the project description of the proposal, and I commit to provide or make available the resources specified therein.

Signed:

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